

# GERMANS SIGN THE ALLIED COAL PROTOCOL

**Teutons at Spa Conference Made Announcement Before Entering Meeting With Allied Premiers That They Agreed on Demands in Principle.**

**EXPRESS HOPE FOR SOME MODIFICATION**

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**Tetanus Developed in Case of East St. Louis Youth Who Wouldn't Pay Cost of Serum to Prevent It.**

# TWO OTHER BOYS STILL IN HOSPITAL

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 LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 16.—Another severe earthquake shock was felt at 1:27 p. m., followed at 1:29 p. m. by a more violent quake. A brick chimney fell across the entrance of a street tunnel in the heart of the business district. A fire alarm was turned in.

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## OVER TRIANGULAR COURSE TOMORROW

Shamrock Crew Happy,  
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SANDY HOOK, N. J., July 16.—Repairs on the cup sloop Resolute, whose throat halyards parted in yesterday's race when victory over the Shamrock lay in hand, were made today and the defender will be in readiness for another joust in the America's cup match off Sandy Hook tomorrow.

It became known today that Shamrock sustained an accident to her bowsprit shortly before the finish of the race. If it had occurred earlier in the contest it would have left the challenger in an helpless condition perhaps as the defender.

Capt. Burton said that all repairs on Shamrock were completed. The Resolute, too, was also in ship-shape from this afternoon. New throat halyards had been placed on board and set up and a new metal gaff was hung. The mainsail was then bent on and boom mainsail and gaff were soon under canvas covers.

"All repairs have been completed and Resolute is ready for the next race," said B. W. Emmons, managing owner, who added that while yesterday's contest was sailed in fluky wind conditions, he had seen enough to convince him that Resolute was the better boat.

Capt. Burton of the Shamrock as well as Designer Nicholson of the Lipton craft both agreed today that it was a very fluky race, but said that, in rough water and in light air, Resolute with her V-shaped hull, had an advantage over Shamrock in footing along.

A 30-mile triangular race, 10 miles to a leg, will be sailed tomorrow, weather permitting. The Shamrock's crew was happy today aboard their tender Killarney, while Sir Thomas Lipton beamed with fine good humor on visitors who came to congratulate him.

## CAPTAIN ADAMS TELLS OF BREAKING OF THE HALYARDS

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Says Resolute's Skipper.

By the Associated Press.  
HIGHLANDS, N. J., July 16.—The Resolute will be repaired and ready for the second race for the America's cup tomorrow, according to Capt. Charles F. Adams, skipper of the yacht.

Capt. Adams expressed himself as being disappointed at the mishap, which, he said, occurred a few moments before the Resolute had sailed on her homeward journey, apparently a sure winner of the first race. "The halyards, which hoist and control the gaff at the throat, broke at the hoisting winch on deck and the gaff fell. There were difficulties in stretching a new halyard which could not be overcome, and we therefore forfeited the race," said Capt. Adams.

Afterward it was learned that the wooden gaff had been removed from the Resolute and a new metal gaff put aboard the yacht. It was reported that, when the gaff fell, after the breaking of the halyards, the strain of the fall had injured it beyond repair.

"It will not be necessary to tow the Resolute to a yard for repairs," said the skipper. "There can be no question in my mind at this time that we will be on the starting line Saturday, determined to win the second race. The Resolute crew did excellent work today. The accident is one of those things which occur at an unexpected moment, not only in yacht racing, but other sports."

## HOW CAPTAINS MANEUVERED IN THE FIRST RACE

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and New York World.  
NEW YORK, July 16.—The first yacht race for the America's cup off Sandy Hook yesterday proved nothing in so far as furnishing a true estimate of the relative merits of Shamrock IV and Resolute as the

## Ought to Give Old Tom The Cup as He Has Tea to Pour in It, Says Lardner

By RING W. LARDNER.  
NEW YORK, July 16.—The first heat went to the Shamrock, but they're many a sloop between the cup and the Lipton. I don't know if that's been said before, but it's my own idea.

As I couldn't stand the excitement of continuously watching the 2 cat boats as they sped forward in the teeth of a 3-mile arm, I happened to be down in Lieut. Annotoy's room when the Resolute done a Willard. Word was rushed in that the rest of the race would be a monologue, as the Resolute's sails had flopped and I couldn't help from feeling sorry for her as I was to an evening dress suit dance one night and broke a suspender.

I went out on the pier and asked one of the newspaper boys how it could have happened and he said she had broke a gaff. You know how a woman feels these days when she breaks a gaff at the price of the gaffs. But anyway I went and seen Capt. Norton of our destroyer that use to play football at the navy in Annapolis and made all American like me. I told him that I didn't think it was a broken gaff but he thought it was a broken throat halyard and maybe she had died of tonsillitis.

Diagnosis of Trouble.  
Well I would of been satisfied with the broken throat diagnosis only Lieut. Comm. Dowses said he thought it was a combination of a broken halyard and a busted spinnaker. Personally I come to the conclusions that I might as well use my own judgment as I once rowed a rowboat on Lake Michigan and I'll leave a pair of opera glasses off of a bum cartoonist and took a look at the Resolute and it looked to me like she had croaked from a barnacle on her bowsprit. Whatever it was, the boys on board of her all but perished trying not to fix it. She was towed to a marine hospital and now they're waiting to see if she'll be able to start Saturday if she can stand the gaff.

Maybe some of you boys has never seen an international yacht race, so I will try and tell you a few of our experiences. In the first place we had to get up in the middle of the night so as we could be down to the battery in time to catch the press boat which was to leave at 8 a. m., but didn't. On the way down I borrowed a paper off a guy and read about the coming event so as I would know what was going on, and it said in the article that the

valled through the first part of the contest, making luck the determining factor. And later, when conditions began to show improvement, Resolute was disabled, leaving Shamrock to proceed alone to a hollow victory; the more hollow that her rival was far in the lead at the time the accident put her out of the running.

The unfortunate mishap came out once more, however, the mistake of building racing boats drawn so fine that they break down constantly.

It was apparent from the start that Resolute pointed higher, while Shamrock footed faster, but no great advantage could be noticed one way or the other.

Capt. Burton, at the helm of the challenger, swung about after a short hitch to the east under the start and headed for the Jersey shore, which seemed a good move, and Charles Francis Adams, on Resolute, promptly followed.

On this tack the defender out-footed Shamrock, but, curiously, she fell slowly to leeward, besides dropping back, and for a space both were distinctly with the Lipton boat, which gained steadily.

Soon, however, a rain squall broke and the wind died out almost entirely, leaving barely enough air to fill the sails, so that the boats crawled along at a snail's pace.

Wind Picks Up a Little.  
Then the wind picked up a little, around 12:30 o'clock, and Shamrock was first to feel it. Capt. Burton made good use of the advantage, thus gained, and the challenger secured a nice lead.

But within a few minutes a sudden shift of breeze forced both skippers to bear off so much that, from the rear position, Resolute found herself thrust well to windward of Shamrock and in front.

Adams then had the baby jib top-sail lowered on Resolute and sent her on a No. 2 in its place. Capt. Burton tried to go him one better by running up a No. 1, but this proved a mistake. Shamrock was sailing too close for it to draw properly and it had to be lowered in favor of a No. 2.

These maneuvers, in which the American crew showed the greater speed, turned to the advantage of Resolute and by 12:40 she was perceived to be in the lead.

## SURE WAY TO GET RID OF DANDRUFF

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have. You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

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## SCHMOLL TO MOVE TO GET OUT OF RACE FOR COMMITTEE

He Says He Will Ask Board  
to Remove Name From  
Ticket as Candidate for  
Place.

## SAYS HE WANTS TO RUN FOR SHERIFF

Announcement Follows Dis-  
cussion of Legality of Elec-  
tion of Candidate for Two  
Offices.

John Schmoll, director of public welfare, chairman of the Republican City Committee and candidate for nomination for Sheriff and for election as City Committeeman for the Thirteenth Ward, this afternoon announced that he would voluntarily ask the Board of Election Commissioners to remove his name from the ticket as candidate for city committeeman.

This decision, he said, was reached after a conference with his attorney, Henry Kortjohn, formerly a member of the Election Board. The point recently was raised by opponents of Schmoll that it was illegal for a person to appear on one ticket as a candidate for two offices.

"The citizens of my ward at a mass meeting asked me to run for committeeman," said Schmoll, "but now that the question of the legality of running for two offices at the same election has been raised, I desire to remove any possible obstacle to my nomination for Sheriff. I filed for Sheriff first and that is the office I want."

Schmoll suggested that there would be no legal obstacle to his adherents voting for him for committeeman by striking out the name of his opponent, Dr. Alfred G. Meyer, and writing in Schmoll's name. He said he expected many of his supporters would do this.

Opponents of Schmoll at the city hall were jubilant when they learned of his intention. They said it indicated that he realized he would be beaten for city committeeman and desired to withdraw his name rather than leave it on the ticket and go down to defeat.

Two others, both Schmoll followers, are candidates for two offices. They are Frank M. Slater, candidate for nomination for public administrator and for election as city committeeman for the Seventeenth Ward, and Anton Schuler, candidate for nomination for City Treasurer and for election as committeeman for the Sixth Ward. They have not yet announced their intention to leave.

While the London to Australia flight in 1919 was for 11,500 miles and other air trips have been made for greater distances, it was explained that they were over well known atmospheric routes. The Nome flyers, however, will encounter unknown climatic conditions and will be compelled to maintain an altitude of about 14,000 feet in crossing the Canadian Rockies and most of the Alaskan route.

## HARDING ANSWERS CRITICISM OF ST. LOUIS LEGION MEMBERS

Says Courtesy to Gov. Coolidge  
Makes Speech at Ceremonies,  
July 25, Inadvisable.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
MARION, O., July 16.—Senator Harding, when informed that certain members of the American Legion in St. Louis were criticizing his action in cancelling a tentative acceptance of the legion's invitation to speak in St. Louis at dedicatory exercises on July 25, explained today the unavoidable circumstances which prevented a speech in St. Louis at the time named.

He said he had found that the date fell between his speech of acceptance and that of Gov. Coolidge, the vice presidential nominee. Certain courtesies always have been observed in such matters, he said, and this has made it inadvisable for him to speak anywhere during that period.

## 2007 ORANGES ON ONE TREE

By the Associated Press.  
MIAMI, Fla., July 16.—During the season just closed 5317 oranges were picked from three trees in a grove near here. One tree 17 years old bore 2007 oranges, another 1650 and a third 1680.

## A Summer's day Recipe

It is a tall thin glass with a little of the following ingredients: LIPTON'S ICED TEA.



## Sir Thomas Lipton Sorry Shamrock Won by Accident

NEW YORK, July 16.—SIR THOMAS LIPTON made the following statement to a Post-Dispatch reporter on the result of the race:

"Resolute did exceedingly well, but any boat might have won under such conditions. I still have great confidence in Shamrock and believe she will be the victor in a good sailing breeze. I don't want flukes."

"I am exceedingly sorry for what happened today, and I would prefer not to call this affair a race won. Winning through an accident doesn't appeal to me, but I have lost an international race here through the result of the race."

"I am told that it would be against the interest of yachting not to have breakdowns occur, as it would encourage the building of frail boats. I also remember Lord Dewar lost a Derby when his horse fell down. They did not run the Derby over."

"However, if they would be willing to start all over again. This is the way I feel personally about it."

## BROKEN PLANE AGAIN ON WAY TO ALASKA

Others of Squadron Will Resume  
Flight When Captain Ar-  
rives at Erie, Pa.

By the Associated Press.  
SCRANTON, Pa., July 16.—Capt. Claire Street, who was forced to land at Elmhurst, near here, yesterday afternoon while on his New York to Nome (Alaska) observation flight because of a broken axle, got away this afternoon. A new axle was put in place this morning. Erie, Pa., is the first objective point. The three other planes on the trip landed there last night.

ERIE, Pa., July 16.—Three of the four army airplanes on a flight from New York to Nome, Alaska, which left Mineola, L. I., at 12:30 yesterday, arrived here yesterday afternoon at 6:35 o'clock. They will wait here until Capt. Street's plane arrives before making the next jump.

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## CORLETT FOR COMMITTEEMAN SIGN GONE FROM CAFE ROOF

Charles Hertenstein Trying to Find  
Out Who Removed It and Left  
That of J. B. Thomas.

Charles Hertenstein, chairman of the Efficiency Board, was busy today in trying to learn who removed a sign announcing the candidacy of Robert D. Corlett for Twenty-eighth Ward Republican Committeeman from the roof of Cafeteria's Cafe, Hamilton avenue and Delmar boulevard.

The sign on a canvas and was 12 feet long and 4 feet wide. It was put on the roof Tuesday but was missing Wednesday afternoon. A sign announcing the rival candidacy of Joseph E. Hertenstein, Supply Commissioner, for re-election as committeeman is still on the roof as are signs for Davis for Senator, Hyde for Governor and Mohrstadt for Sheriff.

Hertenstein is a backer of Corlett as against Thomas, and Thomas is a backer of Mohrstadt against John Schmoll for Sheriff. Cafeteria told Hertenstein he knew nothing about the removal of the Corlett sign.

## TWO MEN ADMIT RACING IN AUTOS

Webster Tilton and H. S. Cupples  
Pay Fines of \$7.50 Each.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 16.—Webster Tilton, a broker, living at the Washington Hotel, and H. S. Cupples Scudder of 6446 Kingsbury avenue, were arrested at 11 o'clock last night on the Clayton road, near Bellevue avenue, on a charge of auto racing and exceeding speed limits. Both admitted the charge and paid costs, \$7.50 each, before Justice Stecker today.

A constable said they were returning from the Sunset Hill Country Club, and raced at 40 miles an hour along Clayton road from Hanley road to Bellevue avenue, where they slowed down and were overtaken.

## BURGARS ROB THREE HOMES

A burglar who visited the homes of Mrs. Ella Hatch and Arthur Kring, 2633 and 2633A Armand place, in the absence of the families yesterday, left fingerprints on fresh painted window sills and porch pillars. An effort will be made by the police today to reproduce the prints. Nothing was obtained from either place.

Other burglaries reported were in the homes of John Martin, 3308A Laclede avenue, revolver and \$100 in clothing; William Wilson, 3000A Laclede avenue, jewelry valued at \$450 and August Pick, 5811 Queens avenue, \$125 in jewelry.

Daniels Arrives in Alaska.  
SEWARD, Alaska, July 16.—Joseph Daniels, Secretary of the Navy; John Barton Payne, Secretary of the Interior; and Admiral Hugh Rodman, commander of the Pacific fleet, arrived in Seward aboard the destroyers Sinclair, Veyer and Macaulay yesterday. They inspected and praised the proposed site for naval coal bunkers at Resurrection Bay.

## GONZALEZ TO BE TRIED AS LEADER IN REVOLT

Former Candidate for President  
of Mexico Captured After  
He Resists Arrest.

By the Associated Press.  
MEXICO CITY, July 16.—Gen. Pablo Gonzalez, former candidate for the presidency and alleged leader of the abortive revolution in the State of Nuevo Leon, whose capture was reported yesterday, will be placed on trial immediately, according to official announcement. The Government has appointed Gen. Francisco Cosco de Saltillo, Enrique Estrada of Zacatecas and Joaquin Amaro of Torreon as members of the court, according to the newspaper Excelsior.

Gen. Gonzalez' whereabouts were discovered Wednesday night, but he resisted arrest, claiming those who sought to apprehend him did not carry warrants for their action. The house where he was lodging was watched all night, officials in the meantime securing a warrant to take him into custody.

Suspicion on the part of Government authorities was aroused by Gen. Gonzalez' refusal to publicly denounce the uprisings led by several military leaders in Nuevo Leon, the General claiming the rebellious chiefs were his personal friends. A dispatch to the Herald says that supporters of Gen. Gonzalez protest against the Government holding him in solitary confinement, and claim this is in violation of the provisions of the Constitution of 1907. Legal action by which he can be protected is contemplated, it is understood.

A draft of a plan of revolution providing for the ousting of all Government departments functioning at present was found in the pocket of Gen. Carlos Garcia, Chief of Staff to Gen. Pablo Gonzalez, according to a message from Gen. M. Perez Revino, chief of operations in Nuevo Leon, to Gen. P. Elias Calles, Secretary of War, says the Herald.

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## MOTHER AND TWIN GIRLS MARRY

Triple Ceremony Performed by Two  
Clergymen at Valparaiso, Ind.

By the Associated Press.  
VALPARAISO, Ind., July 16.—The unusual wedding took place here last night when a mother and her twin daughters were principals in three ceremonies, the entire family taking new names.

Mrs. Lillie Zane became the wife of John Hively, a prominent business man, while the daughters, Cora and Nora, became the brides of William Baker and Harry Erier, respectively. Two clergymen were engaged to tie the three knots.

## 29 NEW GENERALS ARE APPOINTED BY WILSON

Action Is Taken Under Army Re-  
organization Bill, War De-  
partment Announces.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, July 16.—Appointments by the President of seven Major-Generals and 22 Brigadiers under the new army reorganization bill was announced today by the War Department.

Those appointed Major-Generals were Brigadier-Generals Adelbert Cronkhite, William B. Hazen, Charles T. Munter, Charles H. Muir, William M. Wright, Omar Bundy and George W. Read.

Those named Brigadier-Generals were Colonels George B. Duncan, Joseph M. Carter, William Lawler, William R. Smith, Robert L. Howe, Grote Hutcheson, Ernest Hinds, Dwight A. Aultman, Fox Conner, Johnson Magood, Hanson E. Ely, Walter H. Gordon, Mark L. Hershey, Ulysses S. MacAlexander, Fred W. Slayden, Harry H. Bandholtz, Dennis E. Nolan, W. D. Connor, Robert C. Davis and Main Craig; Lieutenant-Colonels Hugh A. Drum and George Van Horn Moseley.

Assignments announced today included Col. Willard A. Holbrook to be Chief of Cavalry, with rank of Major-General; Col. Charles S. Farnsworth, Chief of Infantry, with rank of Major-General; Major-General Frank W. Coe, Chief of Coast Artillery; Major-General Herbert M. Lord, Chief of Finance, and Col. Ames A. Fries, Chief of Chemical Warfare Service.

William M. Wright was commanded at Camp Doniphan, where the Thirty-fifth Division was trained, in France he commanded the Eight-ninth Division. Both these divisions were made up largely of troops from St. Louis and Missouri. Col. Jesse M. Carter, who becomes a Brigadier-General, comes from Farmington, Mo. He has been in charge of the Bureau of Militia Affairs.

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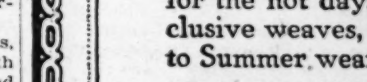
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## CHICAGO CAR STRIKE SITUATION IMPROVED

Traffic 60 Per Cent of Normal,  
Officials Say—Track Work-  
ers Go Out.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, July 16.—Surface line transportation halted yesterday by a strike of linemen and shop employees in this city was considerably improved today. Company officials reported traffic was more than 60 per cent normal.

The ranks of the strikers were augmented today by a sympathy strike of about 700 trackmen. Five hundred trackmen walked out last night.

James H. Wilkerson, chairman of the Illinois Public Utilities Commission, in a statement today, said: "This tieup has no semblance whatever of a legitimate strike. It is a plain holdup, engineered by one unscrupulous labor leader and the proper way to end it is to send that labor leader back to where he came from, the Bridewell. The situation has reached the point where it warrants action by this commission and we shall probably take it soon."

Michael Boyle, business agent of the Electrical Workers' Union, who called the strike, was recently released from jail when President Wilson commuted a sentence of one year for violating the Sherman act.

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By the Associated Press.  
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By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, July 16.—Formation  
of another new party was taken up here  
this morning by members of the  
Committee of 48 who desisted from  
the decision of their convention last  
night and felt such action still im-  
perative. Among those disagreeing  
with the majority conclusion to  
launch no new party at this time and  
going into conference on the ques-  
tion were Allen McCurdy, secretary  
of the Committee of 48 and keynote  
speaker at the opening of its con-  
vention here last week, and Judge Wray  
of Nebraska.

One of the points of disagreement  
between the group meeting this  
morning and the action adopted by  
the Committee of 48 convention yester-  
day was its refusal to endorse or  
condemn the new Farmer-Labor party.  
McCurdy has taken a vigorous  
stand against the platform of the  
Farmer-Labor party.

This morning's conference marks  
the third bolt of the week, non-  
sanctioned delegates to the Com-  
mittee of 48 from South Dakota first  
abandoning it for the Labor party  
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action of the 48-ers.

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vention last night was taken over  
protests of the minority group, and  
was only accomplished when the  
committee leaders turned out the  
lights and ordered the owners to  
clear the hall.

Prior to adjournment the leaders  
presented a report providing for the  
continuation of the organization in  
each State. The report was  
adopted. It makes no provision for  
a national ticket, but does provide  
that another national convention  
may be called at some future date.

Parley P. Christensen of Salt  
Lake City, presidential nominee  
of the Farmer-Labor party, threw  
the 48-ers out of the convention  
by sending it a message character-  
izing its actions as "foolish."

Christensen's attitude,  
"Regardless of the action taken  
at this meeting, however foolish  
Christensen's message said, "I am  
the candidate of the Farmer-Labor  
party and will continue in the race."

Three minority groups originally  
subscribing to the fusion movement  
were represented in yesterday's  
meeting. Besides a part of the  
48-ers, leaders of the World War  
Veterans and People's Party joined  
the bolt.

Of all the groups which joined  
the new party convention Tuesday  
only one well organized faction is  
left in the Farmer-Labor ranks, and  
that is the former Labor party. The  
dominant farmer group in the  
amalgamation, members of the Non-  
Partisan League, stayed to the last,  
but their organization has re-  
pudiated the movement, refused  
amalgamation and has endorsed Sen-  
ator Robert M. La Follette for Presi-  
dent.

The Single Tax party, the first to  
withdraw, nominated its own ticket  
Tuesday night and adopted a 40-  
word single tax platform.

Movement Wrecked.  
The fusion movement, 48-er  
speakers yesterday declared, was  
wrecked by what Gilbert E. Roe, La  
Follette's personal representative,  
characterized as the "intolerance"  
of the Labor party leaders.

"You can never make a class party  
in this country and have it amount  
to anything," Roe declared. "You  
can never build up a Labor party  
successfully in this country as in  
Great Britain."

Leslie Barlow, president of the  
World War Veterans, in addressing  
the meeting yesterday hinted that  
another convention was in process  
of formation.

Barlow said that the World War  
Veterans would ask Senator La Fol-  
lette, William Jennings Bryan and  
other reform leaders to attend this  
convention.

## ADVERTISEMENT.

## FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Re-  
move Them With Othine—Double  
Strength

This preparation for the removal of  
freckles is usually so successful in re-  
moving freckles and giving a clear, beau-  
tiful complexion that it is sold under  
guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil;  
get an ounce of Othine and remove them.  
Even the first few applications should  
show a wonderful improvement, some  
of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the  
double strength Othine. It is this that is  
the money-back guarantee.

## 48-ERS SPLIT INTO THREE GROUPS BY CONVENTION ACTION

One Supports Farmer-Labor  
Ticket, Another Bolts  
Without Ticket, Third  
Plans Another New Party.

## PROVISION MADE FOR FUTURE ACTION

Christensen, a 48-er, and  
Farmer-Labor Nominee for  
President, to Make Big  
Campaign Tour.

## Democratic Vice Presidential Nominee With His Mother



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT AND HIS MOTHER

The photograph was made at Hyde Park, a New York City suburb, upon the nominee's arrival there from San Francisco, and during the great reception arranged for him by his proud neighbors.

## COAL INVESTIGATOR WARNS OF PROFITEERING SIDENER NOT TO RESIGN BEFORE PRIMARY, AUG. 3

District Attorney Declares Prose-  
cution of Coal Operators Will  
Force Prices Down.

United States District Attorney  
Burnside, of the Eastern Illinois  
Federal District, is making an in-  
vestigation of the coal situation in  
the coal fields in his district with a  
view to prosecuting profiteers.  
Assistant District Attorney Mc-  
Cawley Baird, who is in charge of  
the East St. Louis office, said this  
morning that he is siding in the  
work of collecting data, but would  
not state what evidence, if any, has  
been found.

Baird has received a communica-  
tion from the Attorney-General,  
similar to that sent to District At-  
torneys in other districts where coal  
mines are located, instructing him  
to advise the public that claims of  
a coal shortage, shortage of cars,  
or export demands, do not furnish  
an unreasonable high price for  
the "real cause" for the high prices  
being charged at some mines, and  
that there is no need for alarm, as  
it is expected that the prosecution  
of coal operators who are collecting  
an unreasonably high price will  
force down the present cost. The  
communication reads:

"It has been reported that soft coal  
was being sold at the mines at prices  
as high as from \$7 to \$11 a ton. The  
Lever act, under which the indict-  
ment of offending operators is to be  
obtained, prohibited the taking of  
an unreasonable profit. The cost of  
production, however, is not the  
reported prices at the mines, as is  
shown by the following:

"Production cost figures gathered  
by the Federal Trade Commission  
from 1549 bituminous coal opera-  
tions in the principal production re-  
gions, mining roughly about 60 per  
cent of the output, shows that dur-  
ing January, 1920, their cost per  
ton averaged, \$2.32 at the mines.  
Since then there has been an in-  
crease of 35 per cent in the cost of  
labor, enhancing the production  
cost to \$2.79 a ton. During April,  
when the production cost was at the  
higher figure, operators are reported  
to have sold their coal for between  
\$3 and \$4 per ton at the mines.  
Since then, as stated, it is reported  
that the selling prices have been  
forced as high as \$11, and even  
higher.

"Excuses offered for the taking of  
profits which are unreasonably high  
in comparison with the cost of pro-  
duction are no defense to the charge  
of profiteering. Moreover, the public  
should be advised that the claims of  
shortage of production, car shortage  
or export demands, do not furnish  
any real excuse for the continuance  
of the high prices.

"The production of soft coal for  
the first four months of the present  
year has exceeded the production  
for any corresponding period of any  
recent year, excepting 1915 and  
1917. The total produced during  
the four months in 1920 was 173-  
574,000 tons, exceeding 1919 by  
138,936,000 tons.

"By bearing in mind the forego-  
ing points, and by refusing to be in-  
fluenced by a propaganda, which  
has appeared in certain quarters,  
into bidding against one another for  
coal at enormous prices, consumers  
of soft coal can help reduce the  
prices to a reasonable level."

Tax Owners Open Convention.  
CHICAGO, July 16.—The Taxicab  
Owners' Association of America,  
representing 42 cities in the United  
States, and two in Canada, today  
opened a two-day convention, with  
President John J. Roobar of Wash-  
ington, presiding.

## MAN SEEN WITH WOMAN SHOT LAST APRIL ARRESTED

Samuel Finchocharo Left Re-  
saurant With Mrs. Ruth  
Charlotte Cosma Shortly  
Before She Was Murdered.

## SAYS HE DID NOT LEAVE CAR WITH HER

Dead Woman Had Been Liv-  
ing Apart From Husband  
—Body Found in Alley  
Near Grand and Cozzens.

Samuel Finchocharo, known also as  
Samuel Finoch, 22 year old, was ar-  
rested today at his home, 2222 Ed-  
wards street, after detectives learned  
that he was the man who called for  
Mrs. Ruth Charlotte Cosma, 27  
years old, of 3612 Cass avenue, and  
started home with her from a re-  
saurant at 1010 Franklin avenue less  
than an hour before she was found  
dead with a bullet wound in her head  
in an alley near Grand and Cozzens  
avenues the night of April 8 last.

Finchocharo after his arrest said  
he accompanied Mrs. Cosma from the  
restaurant, where she was a wait-  
ress, but denied knowledge of the  
shooting. He said he had become  
acquainted with her through taking  
meals at the restaurant and did not  
know she was married until he had  
started to her home with her. He  
said he accompanied her as far as  
Grand and Easton avenues on a  
Walston car and that he alighted at  
Grand avenue while she remained  
on the car.

Was Separated From Husband.  
At the time of the shooting Mrs.  
Cosma was living apart from her  
husband, Louis P. Cosma, who was  
staying at the home of a niece, Mrs.  
Frances Wheatley, and her husband  
and their three children were living  
at 1829 Rutger street.

Cosma was held as an inquest wit-  
ness, but a coroner's jury returned  
an open verdict of homicide and he  
was released. Mrs. Wheatley and  
a relative of Mrs. Cosma testi-  
fied at the inquest that a few days  
before the shooting Cosma had vis-  
ited his wife and begged her to return  
to him and had threatened her when  
she refused to be reconciled.

Finchocharo today denied that he  
knew Cosma and said he was greatly  
surprised when Mrs. Cosma told him  
on the street car that she had a hus-  
band with whom she was not living.

Woman Aided Police.  
Information as to the identity of  
the man who escorted Mrs. Cosma  
from the restaurant was obtained  
from Mrs. Mary Klum of 2117  
North Fourteenth street, formerly a  
waitress at the restaurant. She did  
not know Finchocharo's name, but  
she gave the name of a woman on  
Sawfield place, with whom he was  
acquainted and this led to his iden-  
tification as the man for whom the  
police had been seeking since the  
shooting.

St. Louis Investors May  
LOSE MONEY PUT INTO HOGS

They Are Informed Animals Were  
Burned In Fire That Visited  
Bird Haven Farms.

St. Louis investors in the actual  
and prospective progeny of Bird  
Haven Farms, a hog ranch, near In-  
dependence, Mo., are wondering if  
they must lose the money they in-  
vested in hogs and pigs as the result  
of a fire, said to have been caused  
by lightning, which destroyed the  
farm buildings and the animals in  
them July 2.

Among the investors was Miss  
Mary G. Jones, probate officer of  
the City Court, who invested \$325 in  
this form of investment. She sug-  
gested to her by Jennie Roys-  
man, an agent of Bird Haven Farms.  
The investor was to buy a sow for  
\$45 and was to become the owner of  
half of the sow's progeny. Miss  
Jones invested in five sows and the  
offspring up to the time of the fire  
numbered 16. She was notified that  
her sows and all of her pigs were  
destroyed in the fire.

Others who invested in the pro-  
ject were Sam Hughtlett, in charge  
of the Information Bureau at Union  
Station and George Crone, a ticket  
seller. Hughtlett was notified that his  
sow and three pigs were destroyed  
and Crone was informed that of nine  
sows and 23 pigs in which he had an  
interest only three pigs remained  
alive.

A general alarm fire, discovered  
at 2:50 o'clock this morning, contin-  
ued for an hour and 35 minutes and  
caused damage estimated at about  
\$25,000 to the three-story brick fac-  
tory of the Holcher-Mitchell Furni-  
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## Galveston City Officials CEDE JOBS TO TEXAS MILITIA

Move Ordered by Governor  
Who Charges Neglect of Duty  
in Dealing With Strike.

By the Associated Press.  
GALVESTON, Tex., July 16.—Gal-  
veston's municipal officialdom to-  
day found itself superseded by mem-  
bers of the Texas militia with the  
carrying into execution by Brigadier-  
General J. F. Wolters of orders is-  
sued yesterday by Gov. W. P. Hobby  
that city authorities should be sus-  
pended and restrained from inter-  
ference with enforcement of the  
State's penal laws.

The Governor's order marked an-  
other chapter in the dock workers'  
strike here, results of which brought  
about military rule in this city a  
month ago.

Gen. Wolters has issued an appeal  
to county authorities and citizens of  
Galveston to aid in the following con-  
ditions at this port back to normal.  
City Attorney Frank S. Anderson, in  
a statement, threatened to appeal to  
the Federal courts if "just one more  
step is taken by the militia officers."

Addressed to the citizens of Gal-  
veston and the State of Texas, the  
statement charged the Governor  
with "automatically and arbitrarily  
trampling the rights of citizens un-  
der his feet," and warned the Gov-  
ernor that "any further encroach-  
ment upon the rights of the people  
of this city to govern themselves will  
be resisted by application to the Fed-  
eral courts."

The statement was signed by the  
commissioners, the City Attor-  
ney, Chief of Police and Judge Henry  
O'Dell. Mayor H. O. Sappington did  
not attend the meeting.

COX PROMISES WOMEN TO FIGHT  
FOR SUFFRAGE IN TENNESSEE

Ohio Governor to Confer With Presi-  
dent Sunday—Mrs. Cox to En-  
courage National Commencement.

COLUMBUS, O., July 16.—Gov.  
James M. Cox today promised a de-  
legation of women to the National  
party that he will give all his possi-  
ble time, influence and strength to  
ward procuring ratification of the  
suffrage amendment by Tennessee.

He also promised to appoint a  
committee to confer with him on a  
plan of action.

The Governor today decided to  
leave Columbus late this evening for  
Washington, where he will arrive  
Saturday afternoon for his Sun-  
day conference with President  
Wilson.

Plans were being developed today  
by the Columbus Chamber of Com-  
merce to entertain members of the  
Democratic National Committee who  
will meet here next Tuesday. Mrs.  
Cox, wife of the presidential nomi-  
nee, expects to entertain the com-  
mitteemen and their families at the  
Governor's mansion either Monday  
or Tuesday evening.

Messages commending the Gov-  
ernor on his stand taken in the mat-  
ter of replying to statements issued  
by Senator Harding, continue to arrive  
today. Among those received today  
were from E. H. Moore, the Gov-  
ernor's pre-convention manager, and  
Wilbur Marsh, Iowa, treasurer of the  
National Committee.

W. C. T. U. TO URGE "CHRISTIAN  
CITIZENSHIP" ELECTION CAMPAIGN

Committee Will Seek Heavy Vote of  
Church-Giving Men for Can-  
didate Favoring Prohibition.

A "Christian citizenship" cam-  
paign, seeking a heavy primary vote  
for prohibition and the nomi-  
nation of candidates regarded as  
favoring prohibition, will be waged  
among the Protestant churches of  
St. Louis beginning Sunday, by a  
committee of the W. C. T. U., head-  
ed by Mrs. Alice Magill of 4161  
Connecticut street, wife of the Rev.  
H. Magill, a retired minister.

Five-minute speakers are being  
arranged for Mrs. B. F. Church  
of 3734 Arsenal street, to speak in  
churches where the matter will not  
be presented by the pastor. These  
speakers will be assigned on 24  
hours' notice.

No special list of candidates has  
been indorsed by this committee.  
Mrs. Magill said, but it likely will  
give added circulation to cards bear-  
ing the approved list compiled by  
the Anti-Saloon League. The  
"Christian citizenship" campaign  
will be nonpartisan, and will be  
conducted up to the primary.

FIREMAN HURT, \$25,000 LOSS  
IN EARLY MORNING BLAZE

Furniture Factory Damaged Was  
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## METHUDY, ILL, TOLD HER TO LEAVE, WIFE SAYS

She Testifies He Told Her He  
"Didn't Want to Be Bothered"  
With Her.

Mrs. Edna Methudy, 1722 Waverly  
place, resumed the witness stand to-  
day at the hearing of the divorce  
suit brought against her by Eugene  
R. Methudy, president of the Me-  
thudy Tire and Rubber Co. who  
testified that when her hus-  
band was in the Missouri Baptist  
Sanitarium for a minor operation in  
1917 he objected to her calling on  
him, despite the fact that on other  
visits in January she took straw-  
berries for him. On her first visit  
to the hospital she said she took out  
her fancy work and sat by his bed  
and he said: "I wish you would go  
away. I am tired and I am expect-  
ing some of my family."

On the following day, she said,  
she took him the strawberries and  
some figs and he said: "Why do  
you come here again after I told you  
to go away?"

This second visit, she said, was on  
Tuesday and the following day  
Methudy returned home, remaining  
there convalescing for 10 days dur-  
ing which she nursed him.

On the first day he was able to  
go out," she said, "he went out with  
a Mr. and Mrs. Kelly. When he re-  
turned I told him I thought he  
should have taken me out on the  
first day after his sickness and he  
said he didn't want to go out with  
me. He said I could take my  
things and go—the further away the  
better. He demanded another fam-  
ily council and this was held Feb.  
11. My parents and my uncle and  
aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Dawson  
and my husband's brother, Ed, were  
there."

Offered Her Alimony.  
At the divorce she testified  
her husband said he was sick and  
tired and wanted to go to New  
York and he offered to agree to pay  
her \$40 a month and \$5000, gross  
alimony if she would get a divorce.  
Mrs. Methudy testified that she had  
snubbed friends of Methudy in New  
York. He had testified that this was  
the reason he did not take her with  
him on his out-of-town trips.

"He gave me a different reason,"  
Mrs. Methudy testified. "He said  
that when he went to New York he  
went there to have a hell of a good  
time and see all the swell dames and  
good-looking chickens." He told me  
I would be in his way, as New York  
was no place for a man to take his  
wife."

He told her, she said, that on one  
of his trips he had a 160-mile auto-  
mobile ride with a married couple  
and slept with his head on the wom-  
an's shoulder.

Refused to Pay Doctor Bill.  
She testified that Methudy once  
refused to pay a \$125 doctor bill for  
her on the ground that the doctor  
who treated her for nervous trouble  
was "fakes."

Though her husband would not  
kiss her in public, she testified, she  
once saw him kiss the wife of one of  
his cousins in public.

"Once when I wanted to sit on his  
lap," she said, "he slipped me in the  
face and told me I was only a baby  
who was always asking for love and  
affection which he did not intend to  
give me because it was not his nature  
to do."

Signed Away Dower Rights.  
Mrs. Methudy testified, as proof of  
her denial that she was seeking her  
husband's money, that she signed  
away her dower rights. The docu-  
ment was read in court showing that  
she relinquished to Methudy exclu-  
sive control of some East St. Louis  
property which he had inherited  
from his uncle.

She related an incident of Ar-  
mistice night, which, she said, she  
spent with her husband and others  
at Cicardi's. A Mr. Segel had been  
to their home to dinner early in the  
evening, she said. Segel helped her  
with the dishes, she related, while  
her husband primped for the eve-  
ning's entertainment. She declared  
that after they were seated at Cic-  
ardi's her husband flirted through-  
out the evening with a "stout young  
woman, who was smoking cigar-  
ettes."

Mrs. Methudy told that in 1919 she  
was ill and was put on a diet. Not-  
withstanding this, she said, she con-  
tinued to cook delicacies for her hus-  
band, which she could not eat, but  
which tantalized her appetite.

Took Dollar From Her.  
She declared that on one oc-  
casion they were entertaining several  
married couples in their homes, the  
men retiring to a bedroom where

## Drifting Life Jacket From Lusitania Picked Up in Delaware River

PHILADELPHIA, July 16.  
By the Associated Press.  
LIFE jackets, silent remem-  
brance of the tragic sinking  
of the Lusitania five years  
ago and bearing a strand of faded  
blond hair, was picked up  
Wednesday in the Delaware  
River.

The name of the ship the Ger-  
mans torpedoed still remained  
clear and distinct on the wave-  
beaten canvas, which has been  
adrift on the seas throughout  
three years of war and two of  
peace.

They engaged in a craps game. She  
said that when the women pre-  
pared to go home, her husband in-  
vited them to try their luck and gave  
each one a dollar with which to  
embark in the game. She said that  
she finished with her original dol-  
lar, while the other women lost, but  
that her husband made her sur-  
render the dollar to him.

She related that her husband  
would not permit her to use his au-  
tomobile, though granting its use to  
his employees and some of his rela-  
tives. She said that upon occasions  
she was compelled to go to places  
in a street car, while others were  
using her husband's automobile to  
go to the same places.

Mrs. Methudy testified she told the  
council she didn't want a divorce and  
was determined to make Methudy  
love her.

"I put my arms around him and he  
told me to go and see a lawyer," she  
said. "The next day I went to see  
Attorney A. C. Davis. He told me  
he would confer with the Methudy  
family lawyer, Marion Early.

"My husband went to New York  
and when he came back there was a  
reconciliation and he told me this re-  
sult of his visit to his lawyer. He  
said Mr. Early said to him: 'You  
are acting like a baby and you need  
a good spanking. Go back to your  
wife.'"

Case Sets New Record.  
The Methudy divorce suit hearings  
began July 1 and testimony has been  
taken on 12 days. This sets a dura-  
tion record for the St. Louis Circuit  
Court.

Methudy's attorneys today re-  
quested that Mrs. Methudy be made  
to produce, for their perusal, her  
diary covering the entire period of  
her married life. She already had  
been required to turn over to her  
husband's counsel the diary for 1917.

At yesterday's sessions Mrs. Meth-  
udy testified that when on their  
honeymoon to Hawaii in 1916 Meth-  
udy expressed admiration for other  
women, particularly "a beautiful girl  
who posed daily" on the beach at  
Honolulu. "He has been raving about  
her since," she added.

She denied that any act of hers  
had spoiled the honeymoon or caused  
it to be shortened, as her husband  
testified. "We stayed as long as we  
had intended—about six weeks," she  
declared.

Man Smashes Window With Hatchet  
Julius Freeman, 50, of 4520 Page  
boulevard, was taken to the city hos-  
pital for observation at 4 p.m. yester-  
day after he had smashed, with a  
hatchet, a plate glass window, 8 by  
10 feet and valued at \$500, in an  
unoccupied store at 601 North  
Grand avenue, on the first floor of  
the University Club Building. He  
gave no explanation.

Girl Falls Through Car Door  
Lucille Whittem, 15 years old, of  
5062 Grandline avenue, fell through  
the open door on the rear end of a  
moving southbound Union avenue  
car in front of 6321 North Union  
last night and suffered concussion  
of the brain and scalp wound.

Point B. McNitt, conductor, told  
the police the car had just started  
after taking on passengers and he  
was busy making change and had  
not had an opportunity to close the  
door.

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Values to \$1.50

## SILENT AFTER KILLING MAN FOUND WITH WIFE

Missouri Farmer Jailed at Fayette  
After Shooting Man in  
the Street.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FAYETTE, Mo., July 16.—Emmet Ballew, farmer, who shot and killed Benjamin Sartain in the courthouse yard Wednesday afternoon here after he had seen Sartain with his wife at the railroad station, has refused to make any statement other than that he would give his testimony at his trial. Sheriff Pryor says Ballew has shown no signs of nervousness since his arrest.

Ballew, after shooting Sartain, went to his farm, about eight miles from Fayette, and informed his farm help what to do. He told bystanders in Fayette that he was willing to submit to arrest when wanted and agreed to go with a deputy who was sent for him.

There was no talk of violence and he is now in the Fayette Jail. Sheriff Pryor said that it had not been necessary to secure an extra deputy to guard him.

Mrs. Ballew was not detained. She went to the home of her father, Larkin Buran, who lives about 15 miles from town. Witnesses who saw the affair were not held, but were notified to appear at the inquest which was held yesterday. The verdict was "death by a pistol wound" but Ballew's name was not mentioned.

The funeral of Sartain was held at Booneboro this afternoon. Boone Lick Township is composed of many Ballew and Sartain families. A number of people there are related to both Sartain and Ballew. While the two were not related, Sartain's wife is a second cousin of Ballew. Ballew's wife was in the office of a local attorney here having papers drawn for a divorce suit when the killing took place. It is said that she will file the suit for a divorce and endeavor to obtain possession of her three children. She denies any improper relation with Sartain.

## ST. LOUISANS LICENSED TO PRACTICE MEDICINE IN STATE

One Woman's Name in List From  
This City—Illinoisans Also  
Licensed.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, July 16.—Licenses to practice medicine and surgery in Missouri were granted yesterday by the State Board of Health to 98 applicants who successfully passed the medical examination held June 14, 15 and 16 of this year.

Among those licensed were the following from St. Louis:

R. L. Andrae, P. S. Barker, O. V. Ratson, P. H. Bernstorff, G. L. Carroll, J. A. Ebel, J. T. Elk, J. A. Flowers, E. F. Gnanetti, A. Goldman, S. B. Grant, P. P. Halleck, S. J. Harbrecht, W. C. Henske, G. H. Hopkins, W. A. Hudson, R. O. Jeffries, F. A. Jostes, O. K. Kaylor, P. H. Kennedy, J. N. McGrath, Alice B. C. Marshall, C. H. Miles, W. A. Monaghan, M. C. Moss, F. E. Murphy, F. J. O'Donnell, J. R. O'Neil, E. O. Schreiner, E. F. Selvers, P. F. Titterton, W. H. Walters and F. P. X. Wilhelm.

Several residents of Illinois were granted licenses to practice in Missouri as follows:

R. L. Adelsberger, Waterloo; L. R. Breedlove, Champaign; W. S. Stokely, Trenton; H. A. Hassett, Pittsfield; D. D. Martin, Seward; C. E. Rice, Plainville; C. M. Schiek, Freeburg; R. R. Scaton, Carlinville; V. B. Stanford, Clay City; J. D. Stoelze, Murphysboro, and H. L. White, Jackson.

**Burial Here for Louisville Boy.**  
The funeral of Ted Cooper, 10 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cooper of Bowling Green, Ky., will be held here tomorrow at an undertaking establishment. Burial will be in Bellefontaine Cemetery. It was reported that the boy had been electrocuted Wednesday by brushing a fallen wire as he was raising the top of his father's automobile.

**Labor Day Parade Meeting Sunday.**  
A meeting of the Grand Marshal of the Labor day parade and his aids will be held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the headquarters of the Central Trades and Labor Council, Twenty-third and Olive streets.

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Broken lines of fine silks, in a large selection of beautiful patterns; sale price.....

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**Fine Cut Silks—Also knits (not including blacks and whites)—\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 values.**

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**Special Lot White Soisette Athletic Shirts  
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## SEVEN INJURED IN DAY IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

Child's Skull Fractured When  
She Drops Off Rear End of  
Wagon in Front of Car.

Seven persons were hurt in automobile accidents in St. Louis yesterday afternoon.

Violet Ring, 9, of 4002 Meramec street, was seriously injured when struck in front of 443 Gravois avenue by an automobile driven by Gus O. Lassauer of Hardin, Ill. She is at the city hospital with a fractured skull and several broken ribs. Lassauer said the girl had been riding on the rear end of a wagon, and dropped off in front of his machine.

William Tatten, 44, of 1414 North Twenty-second street and Frank McDonald of 1323 North Grand avenue were cut and bruised when a taxicab driven by McDonald collided with a truck driven by Louis Clay, 222 Beaumont street, at Twelfth and O'Fallon streets. The taxicab was overturned, and they were thrown to the street.

Merritt McCarrell, 30, of 4379 Delmar boulevard, was cut and bruised at Euclid and Fountain avenues at 4 p. m. when struck by an automobile driven by Harry Lomourea of 1386 Shawmut place.

When passing an alley on Warne avenue between Lincoln and Cottage avenues, Margaret Barry, 7, of 3957 St. Ferdinand avenue, was struck by an automobile driven by Samuel D. Headley of 3712 Lincoln avenue, who was emerging from the alley. She was cut and bruised. Headley said he sounded his horn.

Leo Bacott of 4429 St. Louis avenue suffered scalp wounds and bruises when knocked down at Fifteenth street and Washington avenue by an automobile driven by O. W. Cowgill of 3503 Hartford street.

Orville Wilson, 11, of 1739A North Tenth street, was knocked from his bicycle at Ninth and Mullanphy streets by an automobile driven by Joseph Mogler of 3938 North Ninth street. He was cut and bruised.

## RAIL WAGE AWARDS TO BE ANNOUNCED NEXT TUESDAY

Member of Board Says Reports Published in Chicago Today Are Incorrect.

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, July 16.—Announcement of the railway wage awards published in Chicago today are incorrect, according to G. W. Hanger, a member of the United States Railway Labor Board.

"Official announcement of the wage awards," said Hanger, "will undoubtedly be made next Tuesday between 11 and 12 o'clock in the morning. The report carried in today's newspaper is substantially incorrect, unauthorized, and will tend to do more harm than good. Sessions are still going on and as deliberations are as yet incomplete, there will be nothing definite to announce until Tuesday."

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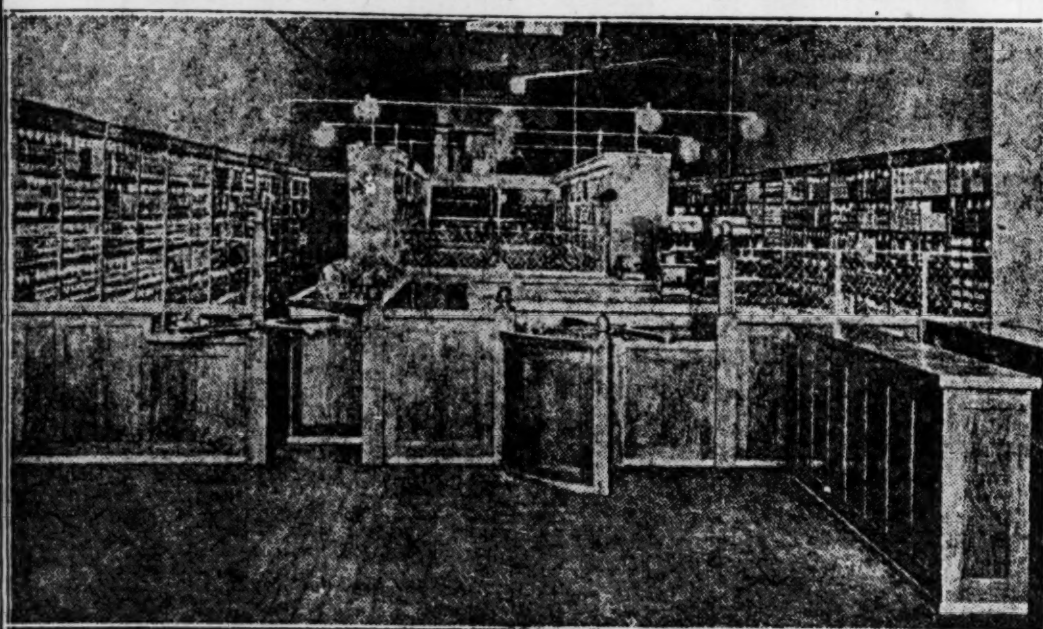
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Kellogg's Krumbles	14c
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## FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Beets, per pound	5c
Corn, each	4c
Cabbage, per pound	5c
Cucumbers, each	5c
Egg Plant, each	14c
Lettuce, fancy large, each	8 1/2c
Peppers, large	4c
Potatoes, fancy home, lb.	8c
Onions, yellow Texas, lb.	5c
Tomatoes, fancy home, lb.	10c
Cantaloupe, each	10c
Blackberries, pint	15c
Bananas, lb.	10 1/2c
Peaches, fancy, lb.	12c
Blue Plums, fancy, lb.	20c
Transparent Apples, lb.	12 1/2c

**Sugar** Pure white cane granulated; 25-lb. limit; lb. **25c**  
Cubes; fancy small; 2-lb. package; per lb. **28c**

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# HARDING'S ACCEPTANCE SPEECH EXPECTED TO BE REAL KEYNOTE

Nominee to Deal Comprehensively With All Issues and Lay Basis for Party's Fight.

By the Associated Press.  
MARION, O., July 16.—Senator Harding kept hard at work today on his speech accepting the Republican nomination for President. Although the address is not to be delivered until next Thursday at the formal notification ceremonies here, he kept his callers' list at a minimum and devoted virtually all of his time to the manuscript in the hope of completing it by tomorrow night.

As an interpretation of the Chicago platform, the acceptance speech is expected to be the real keynote of the Republican campaign. Unusual care is being taken by the candidate, therefore, to make certain that it touches comprehensively on all the important issues and lays a broad basis for the party's fight for popular support.

In his declaration yesterday regarding the new Farmer-Laborer party, some of the Senator's friends saw an indication that the Republican attitude toward the farmer and the laborer might come in for particular attention in the notification day speech. The candidate himself expressed confidence yesterday that the Republican platform would be found progressive enough to command the support of both the farming and laboring classes.

## AMERICAN KILLED AND ONE MISSING IN BATTLE WITH REDS

Y. M. C. A. Worker With Polish Army Shot by Bolshevik—Aviator Falls to Return to Lines.  
WARSAW, July 16.—One American has been killed and another is missing in the battle between the Poles and Russian Bolsheviks in the region of Minsk, according to reports from the front. Alexander Uciwien of Chicago, Ill., an American Y. M. C. A. worker with the Polish army, was shot and killed by a Bolshevik attired in a Polish uniform, while Capt. Merlon Cooper of Jacksonville, Fla., has been missing for four days since starting an airplane reconnaissance.

Uciwien came to France as a Y. M. C. A. worker and later was sent

to Poland with Gen. Haller's forces. He was loading ammunition supplies to be taken to the rear when he was killed. Capt. Cooper, a member of the Kosciuszko squadron, was recently mentioned as the successor of Maj. Cedric Fauntleroy as commander of

that famous body of aviators. Members of the squadron believe Capt. Cooper is safe, as his flights over the Southern Polish front have been above open country for the most part, and he may have been forced to land within the Polish lines.

Miss Alpheia Patterson of Cincinnati, O., is with women soldiers in the region of Vilna, having charge of the distribution of Y. M. C. A. supplies. She came to Poland last fall with her brother, driving an automobile across Germany from France.

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SPECIAL LOT WAISTS Just Received All kinds—all colors—just what the Summer girl wants for holiday and vacation wear, \$8.00 and \$10.00 values. **\$4.98 \$5.98**

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CEYLON TEA, 1/4-lb. can. **15c**  
Delicious for Iced Tea, 1/2-lb. can. **30c**

Pure Leaf Lard, lb. **20c**

BONNY BEE BRAND'S BURNING MILK Large can. **12 1/2c**

WISCONSIN CREAM CHEESE, lb. **25c**

Watch for opening of our new central downtown Creamery.

## PESKY BED BUGS

Doctors declare that bedbugs and other vermin are the most-to-be-fared means of spreading such diseases as consumption, spinal meningitis and other infectious troubles. There is no disgrace in getting bedbugs in your home, because that can't be avoided, but it is a disgrace to permit them to remain and thrive when it is so easy to get rid of them with the new chemical compound, P. D. Q., which actually puts an end to these pesky devils.

### A MILLION BEDBUGS

A 35-cent package of this golden chemical will make a quart of a mixture that is so deadly to bedbugs that it would kill a million of them if you could get that many together. If they were as big as your hand it would sweat them just as well. And not only the live ones, but the future generation as well, because once it hits the eggs they are gone.

### OUT THIS OUT

Your druggist has P. D. Q. (Pesky Devil's Quinine) and will be glad to furnish it for 35 cents. One 35-cent package makes a quart of the mixture and is equal to a barrel of old-fashioned kerosene. Some druggists may try to sell you something else. Don't accept a substitute. If your druggist hasn't P. D. Q., send us your name and 35 cents and we will send you a package postage prepaid to your address.

### WILL NOT DAMAGE GOODS

P. D. Q. will not injure delicate fabrics, clothing, carpets, furniture, bedding, wall paper, etc. In fact, it is often used as a deodorizer and disinfectant.

### KILLS FLEAS ON DOGS

If you have a pet dog who is infested with fleas take a little P. D. Q. mixture in your hand and rub it into the fur. Then watch the fleas jump the loop. They will be dead before King Solomon before they hit the floor.

### CHICKEN LICE DESTROYED

Have your chickens get lice? Don't hesitate. Get a 35-cent package of P. D. Q., make a gallon of lice-destroyer from it as directed and then get busy in the henhouse. It's so easy you'll laugh and so will the chickens. By the way, did you ever see a chicken laugh? Try this and watch 'em.

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The ants and cockroaches stand just as good a chance of surviving a treatment of P. D. Q. as a snowball in a hotly heated heat. It swats them and on furs in storage to kill and keep out moths.

### A BED BUG SPOUT

Every package of P. D. Q. contains a patent spout that fits any ordinary bottle. It will enable you to reach the hard-to-get-at places and save lots of time. When you look for the Devil's Quinine on every package of P. D. Q., then you're sure to get the genuine.

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It worth MORE to you to be known as one who did YOUR part to smash high prices? We are in this fight to a finish with our 300 stores all over the U. S. A. Will you come in?

## To the Determined Womenfolks of St. Louis

It takes TWO to make a bargain. There are already many retail merchants who are trying to help pierce the bubble of high prices by giving you unheard of values. But unless you CO-OPERATE with these merchants you will have to bear the brunt of it all yourselves. We have taken an active part in this movement. We have closed our eyes to cost, value and profit. We are doing MORE than our share, but we do it GLADLY, because the public has responded enthusiastically. Now we are going to cap the climax of value-giving by beginning tomorrow a

## Mighty Sale of NEWARK Shoes for Women That Will Fairly Shake The Town!

AT **\$2.48** AT **\$2.98** AT **\$3.98** AT **\$4.48**

At \$2.48, \$5 Values. Our Special Price This Season was \$3.45 plainly stamped on every box. Cool, summer pumps, oxfords, Cleo ties, high shoes and "Keds" of sparkling white sea island canvas. Wide selection of the season's most popular models.

At \$2.98, \$7 Values. Our Special Price This Season was \$5.85, plainly stamped on every box. High white shoes of genuine F. B. C. white washable kid. Your choice of high French heels or the popular military walking heels.

At \$3.98, \$7 Values. Our Special Price This Season was \$5.85, stamped on every box. Handsome pumps and oxfords of F. B. C. white washable kid with long slender vamp, high arch and Louis heels.

At \$4.48, \$7 & \$8 Values. Our Special Price This Season was \$5.85 & \$6.85 stamped on every box. Three choice models, a white buck oxford with imitation wing tip and novelty foxing, a canvas sport oxford trimmed with white buck, and a white kid one-eyelid tie.

### Now It Is Your Move.

There isn't much more to be said. We have pointed out that this isn't a sale to make money or to raise money. It is a sale to help lower the cost of living for you, and to put business on a solid and substantial foundation for us. WE have something to gain in this war on high prices as well as YOU—all merchants have. And so we are making sacrifices now to the end that we won't have to make bigger sacrifices later on if prices go higher and your purchases grow fewer. The shoes in this sale are our own regular stock, brand new NEWARK shoes, the same that we have sold all this season. The original low prices are stamped on every box. You know exactly what your saving is on every one. There are thousands to select from and plenty of extra salesfolk on hand to give you prompt service.

Sale begins tomorrow morning at 8:00 sharp.



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When we or any of to \$6.00 Low Shoes at

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Women's Black Oxfords Slippers, strap styles, all sizes

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Strongly recommended for every respect for great value

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Women's Silk Camisole fully made and trimmed; special values; \$1.69 and...

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Flirt and Scotch Net weaves, 2 1/2 yards long; white, ivory and beige; pair...

**\$6.00** Lace Cur Made of fine quality; Nets; white or navy; 2 1/2 yards long; novelty designs; pair...



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## \$5146 IN POCKETS OF MAN TAKEN IN RAID

33 Negroes and Two White Men  
Arrested in Dice Game in Chest-  
nut Street Place Released.

Thirty-three negroes and two white men, arrested last night in a raid on a dice game in a negro poolroom at 2019 Chestnut street, were discharged in Police Court today for lack of evidence that they were gambling for money. One of the white men said that he was Henry ... years old, of 123 Chestnut street, salesman, had \$1146 in his pockets when arrested. One of the negroes was identified by the police as a pickpocket.

The case was dismissed when the police failed to produce evidence that the men were playing dice for money. The testimony was that the men were gathered about a pool table and were taking turns in throwing the dice, but no money was displayed.

"You have succeeded in collecting about \$17 for the Police Relief Association," Judge Ittner told the arresting officers, referring to the 50 cents bond fee exacted from each prisoner, "but you failed to make a case."

At 4:30 o'clock this morning police went to the home of Raymond Bergman, 2162 Geyer avenue, a conductor for the United Railways Co., in response to a telephone message that gambling was in progress there. They found Bergman and four other men playing dice on a bed. A \$2 bill and a pair of dice were taken as evidence. Bergman was charged with conducting a gambling game.

When policemen surrounded a group of boys who were shooting dice in an alley behind 2948 North Nineteenth street at 6:15 o'clock last night, Lawrence McBride, 18, of 3927 North Nineteenth street, in an effort to escape, fell and fractured his right arm and shoulder. Four boys were taken to the Angelica street police station.

Abe Brown, 2038 Market street; Arthur Basse, 4113 Chouteau avenue, and William English, 3130 Clark avenue, each was fined \$5 in Police Court today on a charge of gambling with dice on the sidewalk in front of 2040 Market street. They were arrested at 7 o'clock last night.

Council Bluffs Has 36,162.  
By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, July 16.—Census figures were announced today as follows:  
Council Bluffs, Ia., 36,162, increase 6870, or 23.5 per cent.  
Roseburg, Ore., 4281, decrease 275, or 17.5 per cent.

### ADVERTISEMENT

**SUMMER FURNITURE SUPPLIES ALMOST INADEQUATE TO MEET DEMANDS.**

The Prufrock-Litton Furniture Company at Fourth and St. Charles streets, reports an unusual demand for Porch and Lawn Furniture.

This includes the ever-popular fiber and reed furniture for the sun parlor and living room, as well as the durable weatherproof Maple chairs and rockers to be found on every porch now.

An entire floor in the Prufrock-Litton store is given over to the display of Summer Furniture in endless varieties to meet every individual taste and requirement.

If Saturday afternoon is most convenient for you to visit their display rooms, they wish to remind you that their store is open every Saturday afternoon until 5 p. m. for your convenience.

### ADVERTISEMENT

**"SYRUP OF FIGS"  
CHILD'S LAXATIVE**

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver and bowels—say "California."



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."

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# Close-Out of All Palm Beach, Cool Cloth and Panama Cloth Suits

A particularly backward season has  
"thrown a bombshell into our camp."

We can't change weather conditions but we  
can fit ourselves to them. Bond's "breeze  
weight" Summer clothes were made to sell, not  
to keep. So here goes—

Any  
Palm Beach  
Cool Cloth or  
Panama Cloth  
Suit in Stock

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## Bond's Clothes

(Three-Piece Suits)

\$25 \$30 \$35

Even a retailer's "sale" prices can't  
compete with Bond's regular prices; Bond's  
Clothes, because they are sold direct from our  
factory to the wearer, are priced accordingly—  
and there isn't a retailer in this city that can  
mark his merchandise on Bond's basis.

**BOND'S**  
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BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.

Silk  
Gloves 69c  
Ladies' two-clasp, dou-  
ble-tipped Silk  
Gloves; odds and  
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Very Becoming Trimmed Hats  
Featuring Saturday

Taffeta and  
Georgettes  
Satin  
\$3.95  
\$4.95



New Ribbon  
Sport Hats  
\$2.98  
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All taffetas, satin and  
maline, jet and Geor-  
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large mushrooms, flaps,  
rolling sailors, chin-  
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trimmed with hand embroidery,  
flowers, ribbons or ostrich;  
white, navy, pink, black.

Entire sample line  
of Hats in a spe-  
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shapes and styles;  
values up to \$4.95.

Shirts and Hosiery  
Reduced

Men's \$3.50 to \$4.50 Dress  
Shirts  
Men's Dress Shirts, with soft cuffs,  
in a variety of materials and  
patterns, values  
\$3.50 to \$4.50;  
your choice, Sat-  
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\$2.98

Men's \$2.00 Work Shirts  
Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts;  
union made, of su-  
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chambray; \$2.00  
value, each, ...  
\$1.75

Men's 50c Socks  
Men's Mercerized Socks;  
assorted colors; regular  
50c quality; slight sec-  
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35c

Women's \$2.50 Silk Hose  
Women's Silk Hose,  
hale tops, heels and  
toes; \$2.50 value;  
special Saturday, ...  
\$1.69

Women's Fiber Hose  
Women's Fiber Hose, hale  
tops, heels and toes;  
fine gauge, good qual-  
ity; special Saturday, ...  
98c

**WOMEN'S \$5 & \$6 LOW SHOES, \$2.45**

When we or any other store tell you that you can buy \$5.00  
to \$6.00 Low Shoes at this price it would seem hardly believ-  
able—but these are facts neverthe-  
less, and what's more we strongly  
advise buying two or more pairs at  
this price. You can choose from hun-  
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chocolate kid leathers, military and  
high heels, one  
and two-eye  
styles.  
No trouble  
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Women's Black Canvas House  
Slippers, strap style; ...  
\$1.69

Women's \$3.00 White Low  
Shoes at ...  
\$1.95

Boys' Tan Shoes, English style,  
sizes 1 to 5½; reg. ...  
\$3.45

Comfort Low Shoes, rubber  
heels; all sizes;  
regular \$4.00 value, ...  
\$2.95

Special Values in  
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Strongly built for  
service, fit and com-  
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Women's Bunga-  
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Assorted styles and  
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Fetticoats, assort-  
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**Great Sale of Dresses Saturday**

Entire stock marked far below their real  
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Up to \$15.00 Wash  
Dresses \$5.98

Up to \$25.00 Wash  
Dresses \$8.98

Up to \$35.00 Georgette  
Dresses \$10.00

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Up to \$3.98 Up to \$1.98  
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69c Veils at 39c  
Special sale of all-silk hexagon  
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98c Purse, 69c  
98c Ladies' Hand Purse with  
colored linings and  
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Special for Sat-  
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Ladies' Belts Reduced  
40c Belts ...  
35c Belts ...  
30c Belts ...  
25c Belts ...

Sale Lace Curtains  
\$4.00 Lace Curtains  
Flirt and Scotch Net  
weaves, 2½ yards  
long; white, ivory  
and beige; pair, ...  
\$2.98

\$6.00 Lace Curtains  
Made of fine quality Saxony  
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# FIRE SALE!

40% to 60% Off on  
Goodrich, Diamond and Other Good Tires

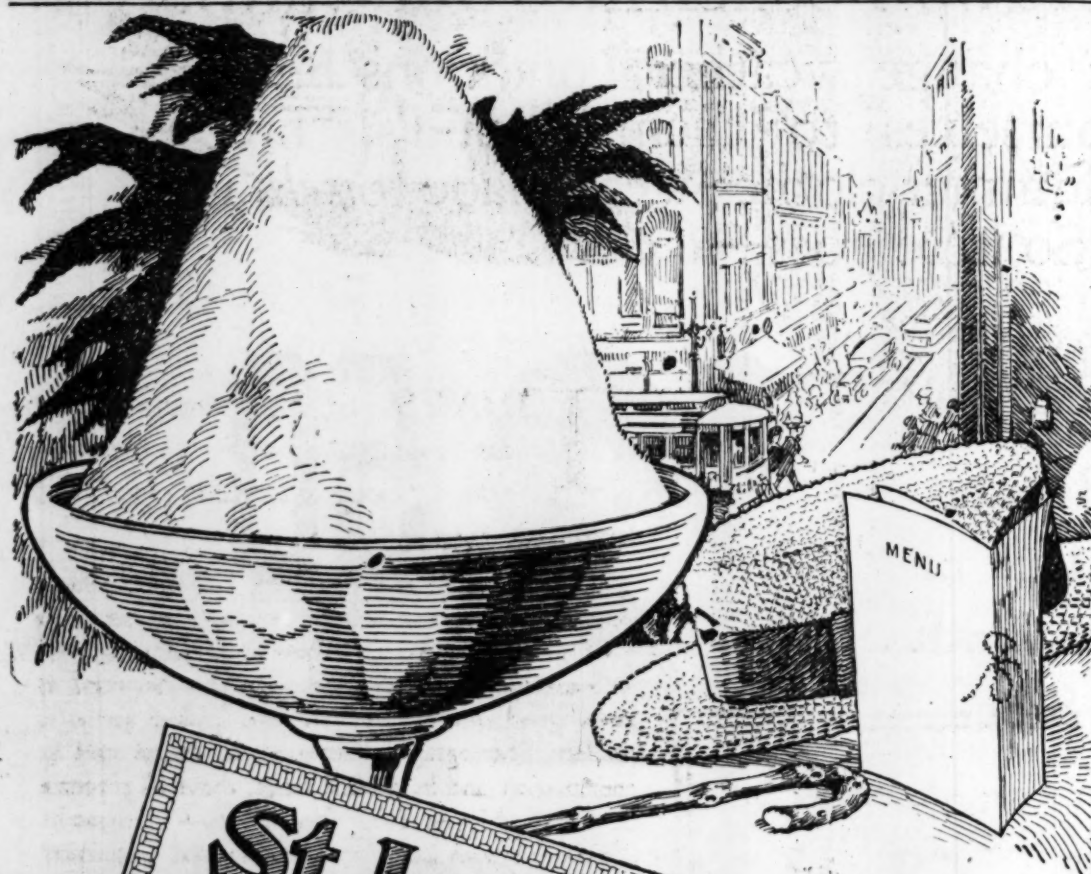
Our beautiful stock of Goodrich, Diamond, United States, Fisk, Cupples, Lehigh, Barberton and other makes were slightly damaged by fire and smoke last Saturday when our Vulcanizing Department caught fire. About 1000 tires were slightly smoked so that neither service or guarantee are affected. Now is your chance to get good standard tires at the lowest prices they have ever been offered.

958 SLIGHTLY SMOKE SOILED TIRES

\$19.00—30x3 Non-Skid Lehigh	\$ 6.85	\$32.50—31x4 Non-Skid Goodrich and Diamond	\$19.75
\$19.00—30x3 Plain Goodrich or Diamond	\$ 8.00	\$32.50—31x4 Non-Skid Barberton (soiled)	\$12.50
\$19.00—30x3 Non-Skid Goodrich	\$10.00	\$37.00—32x4 Non-Skid Barberton (soiled)	\$12.50
\$23.20—30x3 Non-Skid Goodrich or Diamond	\$13.00	\$37.00—32x4 Non-Skid Goodrich (soiled)	\$20.00
\$20.00—30x3 Non-Skid Barberton Tires	\$ 7.50	\$36.00—33x4 Plain Federal (soiled)	\$14.50
\$15.00—30x3 Non-Skid rebuilt tires	\$ 6.75	\$36.00—33x4 Plain Goodrich (soiled)	\$15.00
\$25.00—31x3 Non-Skid Goodrich (scored slightly by fire)	\$10.00	\$28x3 Fisk Red Top (soiled)	\$10.00
\$25.00—32x3 Non-Skid Barberton (smoke soiled only)	\$ 9.50	\$28x3 Non-Skid Goodrich (soiled wrap)	\$11.00

Sizes and quantities are strictly limited and exactly as represented. Smoke-soiled tires were 40 feet away from the blaze and are positively not injured in any way; so their service is unimpaired and they will carry their original guarantee. The balance of our stock of Silverton Cord, Royal Cord, Firestone Cord is still intact and during this sale is offered at 20% off regular prices. Stock up now for balance of the season. Guaranteed inner tubes at cut prices. Phone Delmar 574. Phone Forest 733.

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## For the Midday Lunch

There is nothing more delightfully refreshing for the midday lunch than St. Louis Dairy Company's Ice Cream. Delicate in flavor, smooth as velvet—served with crushed fruit, a sauce, or plain—it is wholesome as well as temptingly delicious.

For only the best ingredients are used to make it, and the most sanitary precautions are exercised to keep it pure. St. Louis Dairy Company's Ice Cream meets both the State and Federal butterfat standard of fourteen per cent. To be sure of getting the genuine, always order it by the full name—St. Louis Dairy Company's Ice Cream.

**St. Louis Dairy Company**

## OPERATORS ACCEPT MINERS' LIVING WAGE CONTENTION

Agree to Submit to Commission Payrolls of Nine Large Anthracite Coal Companies.

By the Associated Press. SCRANTON, Pa., July 16.—Operators completed submission of their exhibits and evidence combating testimony of the miners' organization before adjournment of the Anthracite Mine Commission yesterday afternoon. When the body convenes today cross-examination of S. D. Warner, president of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co., by Philip Murray, international vice president, and W. Jett Lauck, consulting economist of the mine workers, will get under way.

Outstanding developments yesterday were the acceptance by the operators of the mine workers' contention for the principle of the living wage, the agreement by the operators to submit to the commission the payrolls of nine large anthracite companies from which they obtained their average earning figures, and decision by the commission to have its own experts and statisticians check and verify figures and evidence by both sides.

## SPECIAL ELECTION TO NAME MAYOR FOR UNIVERSITY CITY

Friends of W. E. Henning and Warren C. Flynn Are Circulating Petitions.

A special election will be held in University City Sept. 7 to fill the vacancy caused by the death, on July 3, of Mayor August Hennan, whose term would have expired next April. His successor will hold only until then.

Friends of William E. Henning, 628 Pershing avenue, and Warren C. Flynn, 725 Interdrive, are circulating nominating petitions in University City for them. Henning is secretary and treasurer of the A. Leech & Sons Rope Co., and Flynn is local manager of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Henning said today that he did not know if he would accept the nomination or not if he got it. Candidates have 15 days in which to file their petitions.

The Mayor holds office for two years, has the power of appointing several city officials, and receives \$600 a year.

## 100,000 CHILDREN ENTERTAINED

By the Associated Press. BERNE, Switzerland, July 16.—One hundred thousand of the poor and underfed children of Europe have so far been given vacations of four to six weeks in Swiss homes. Most of the children came from Austria and Germany.

Save on  
Saturday



Our Savings Department is open from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. every Saturday.

"A Dollar and a Minute Open a Boatman's Savings Account."

**Boatmen's Bank** Broadway and Olive

We Close at 8 P. M. Prompt. Call Early.  
**PALM BEACH SUIT, \$4** Pants, \$1.75 Coats, \$1.00  
ALL-WOOL SUITS.....\$7  
Wool Pants.....\$2  
Bought from some of the swiftest Homes in the West End.  
**3837 Delmar**

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**BUY ONE NOW**  
**And Put It Away for Fall**

**800 Men's and Young Men's**  
**\$40.00 \$45.00 \$50.00 & \$55.00**  
**ALL-WOOL SUITS**

**At Less Than Cost**  
**\$23.75**  
**ALL SIZES**

Store Hours: 8:30 to 5:30—Saturdays, 8:30 to 6:30

**MONROE CLOTHES SHOP**  
**610 OLIVE ST.**  
**2d AND 3d FLOORS**  
**T. R. DURNING, President**  
**J. B. GUTHRIE, Manager**

**SUGAR**  
PURE CANE GRANULATED  
NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY. Be prepared for the heavy canning season and have enough sugar on hand to take care of any preserving need. Price, from all indications, will be higher. Why not make a saving worth while at this time, and then be free from all worry as to whether or not you will be able to supply your needs in sugar on the spur of the moment at preserving time. The present cost of sugar in carlots is considerably greater than the price at which we are retailing this same article.

**10 POUNDS \$2.49 FOR**  
**KROGER'S**  
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Bring us your negatives if you want better results.  
ANNOUNCEMENT SLIDES—ENLARGEMENTS  
**A. S. ALOE COMPANY, 513 Olive Street**

Enjoy the Summer in Good Health  
With "The Doctor in Candy Form"

**PARTOLA—"The Doctor in Candy Form"** keeps the stomach sweet and clean and helps the sluggish liver in its work, relieving depression, headache and that logy feeling. This wonderful modern invention in the shape of delicious sweets is also a powerful but harmless internal antiseptic that sterilizes the intestinal tract and dislodges any germ life that may be there and which contributes so frequently to indigestion and constipation.

Rely upon "The Doctor in Candy Form" this Summer. It will help you enjoy the Summer in good health. Ask your druggist for a 30c box of Partola, or a double size 50c box. Try one of these little peppermint candies tonight before going to bed and note the beneficial results in the morning.

IMPORTED  
**Pompeian Olive Oil**  
has no peer in the field of imported olive oils

**Cuticura Soap**  
Clears the Skin and Keeps it Clean

**For the Accommodation of the Public Our Stores Will Remain Open Until 5:30 O'Clock P. M. Saturdays**

**Werner & Werner**

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**F. A. Steer Furnishing Goods Co.**

**Boyd's Men's Apparel Co.**

**Browning King & Co.**

**Greenfield Brothers Clothing Co.**

**MANY CANDIDATES AND LABOR MAN'S QUE**

Speakers to Visit All and Inform Them of Views.

Seventy-five per cent of the candidates sent to candidates, State and national by affecting St. Louis, by branch of the National Political Campaign Committee, American Federation of Labor, have been answered and returned to the office in the office of the candidates for local office. The use of 25 speakers formed to visit all of the to inform their membership of the various issues of interest to the candidates for about 250, 25 to 100, depending upon the Part of the information by the St. Louis office, used in the campaign forwarded to the cent Washington. Workmen are removing many bar fixtures, which sold by the hotel to a van. Ind.

**JUVENILE ELOPERS ON TRAIN FOR K**

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A juvenile elopement at Union Station yesterday noon when policeman Walter Detrichs, 15 y 2761 Lafayette avenue, Wadlow, 14, of 1718 M nue, after they had been for Kansas City. They said they were married in Kansas City had with them as "baby" Kubisch, 15 years old, of avenue. Their parents Detrichs and Mrs. Em

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# MANY CANDIDATES ANSWER LABOR MAN'S QUESTIONNAIRE

Speakers to Visit All Unions Here and Inform Them of Candidates' Views.

Seventy-five per cent of the questionnaires sent to candidates for local, state and national offices directly affecting St. Louis, by the St. Louis branch of the National Non-Partisan Political Campaign Committee of the American Federation of Labor, have been answered and returned to the branch office in the old bar of the Majestic Hotel, according to T. E. Ehlensbeck, secretary in charge of the office.

A speakers' bureau, contemplating the use of 25 speakers, is being formed to visit all of the unions here to inform their members as to the position of the various candidates on issues of interest to the Federation. Information received in reply to the questionnaires is being tabulated in the office of the committee. Those sent to candidates for legislative offices called for about 225 separate answers, those to gubernatorial candidates for about 250, and those to candidates for local offices for from 25 to 100, depending upon the office. Part of the information obtained by the St. Louis office, besides being used in the campaign locally, will be forwarded to the central office at Washington.

Workmen are removing the mahogany bar fixtures, which have been sold by the hotel to a firm in Sullivan, Ind.

## JUVENILE ELOPERS ARRESTED ON TRAIN FOR KANSAS CITY

Boy, 15, and Girl, 14, on Way to Be Married, Were Taking "Best Man" of 16 Along.

A juvenile elopement was stopped at Union Station yesterday afternoon when policewomen arrested Walter Detrichs, 15 years old, of 2761 Lafayette avenue, and Pauline Wadlow, 14, of 1718 Missouri avenue, after they had boarded a train for Kansas City.

They said they were going to be married in Kansas City and they had with them as "best man" John Kubisch, 15 years old, of 2700 Allen avenue. Their parents, Mrs. Rose Detrichs and Mrs. Emma Wadlow,

widow, learned of the plans from girl friends of Miss Wadlow. Miss Wadlow said she withdrew

## GIVE NO QUARTER TO THE DEMON FLY



HEALTH officials everywhere condemn the fly. It is America's most dangerous pest.

WAR-ON-FLIES (a powder) puffed into the air out of the box it is sold in, will kill every fly and other insects in the room in a few minutes.

Harmless to Humans. Harmless to Food.

Death To All Flies. Death to Roaches, Bedbugs, Mosquitoes and all other insects.

Sold Everywhere

WAR-ON-FLIES. HARMLESS TO HUMANS AND FOOD. THE SIMPLEST EASY WAY. COMMERCIAL CHEMICAL CO.

PROTECT your machine until it is used. Veto rust with Rust Veto.

E. F. HOUGHTON & CO.  
418 North Third Street, St. Louis, Mo.

\$100 savings from the bank and bought railroad tickets. When they were arrested Miss Wadlow had \$28.04 and Detrichs had \$2.62. They were taken to the Juvenile Detention House to be held for their parents.

## CREDIT BARNETTS

Terms—\$1 Down—\$1 Week

\$1 Good for One Dollar \$1 at Barnett's



\$1.00 a Week Men's Elgin Watches. This model, jeweled works, cases guaranteed 20 years; \$20 gold filled. \$34

\$1.00 a Week Ladies' Diamond Rings; diamond is very brilliant, ring is 14k solid gold; \$40 value. \$34

\$1 a Week Wm. Rogers & Sons 26 piece Silver Set, in fancy box; reduced price. \$15

Genuine Diamond La Vallieres. \$11 Ladies' high-grade Bracelet Watches. \$20

We Do Expert Watch and Jewelry Repairing

Ben Barnett JEWELRY CO.  
808 PINE ST.  
Est. 1893

# Cox's Chances of Winning the Presidency

While Senator Capper's Topeka Capital (Rep.) considers Republican victory at the polls not even in question, declaring that "after November the Democrats will know that a political party cannot carry a presidential election in this country by sprinkling a little booze on its clothes," other Republican papers agree with the New York Tribune that it "would be most foolish if they (Senator Harding's supporters) did not frankly recognize the formidableness of the Cox and Roosevelt ticket." The Chicago Tribune (Rep.) says that the bosses nominated Governor Cox because they thought he was "the best vote-getter and the best goat-getter Democracy had."

If you would obtain a practical idea of Governor Cox's chances of winning the election, as pointed out by newspaper editors of all shades of political opinion, you will do well to read THE LITERARY DIGEST for this week—July 17th. The leading article is a careful summary of American newspaper opinion of the Democratic nominee and the advantages and disadvantages that will be his during the campaign.

Other articles of almost equal interest in this fine number are:

## The Prospects For a Third Party

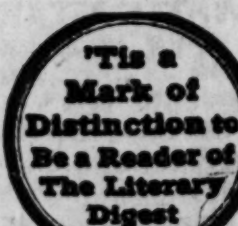
The Elements of Discontent With the Present Political Situation and How They May Be Welded Into a Third Party at the Polls in November

The Fighting Creed of the Democrats  
Our Decreasing Population Increase  
The Greek War on Turkey  
Britain Too Pro-American to Suit Japan  
Hustling Bulgaria  
Another Soviet Confession of Failure  
Anti-Japanism in California  
Science as a Curse to Mankind  
Paper Shoes  
American Artificial Silk  
When "Picking Flowers" Is a Crime  
The Universe in Miniature  
Our Debt to Negro Sculpture  
New Record by a New German-Designed Monoplane  
British-American War Over Language  
The Menace of the "Dope Doctor"

Religious Harmony in Jugo-Slavia  
The Golden Rule vs. The Rule of Gold  
Foreign Trade of the U. S. in 1920  
Geo. W. Perkins, "A New-Fashioned American"  
Tom-Cat Vibrators, "Hamlet" and Ordinary "Reds"  
Mexican Invaders Relieving Our Farm-Labor Shortage  
Commencement Addresses By Some Recent Graduates in "Americanization"  
Hamburg Now a Tributary of the Allies  
Constantinople's Kaleidoscopic Conglomeration  
The Whole World Loves a Presidential Nominee  
Motor-Mad America, as Seen by a Supercilious Briton

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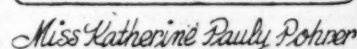
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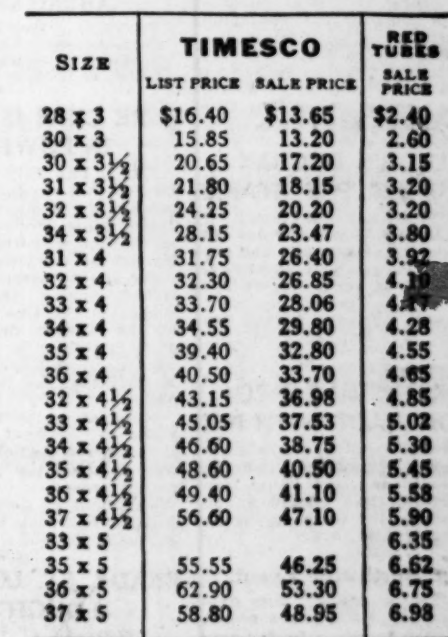
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# Even Though the Resolute Was Beaten, She Surely Got the "Breaks"

## New Boxing Club To Hold Outdoor Show on July 26

Uhlemeyer of St. Louis A. A. Says He Has Received Permission to Revive Sport.

Harry W. Uhlemeyer, former South Broadway Athletic Club promoter, announced this morning that he had been made president and matchmaker of a new boxing organization, the St. Louis Athletic Association, to stage professional boxing shows at Battery A Armory, 1221 South Grand avenue. Uhlemeyer said he had received oral permission from the police department to hold the shows and that Joe Lynch had been signed to appear as one of the principals in the opening show, Monday, July 26.

Uhlemeyer said he expected to receive a letter today from Chief of Police O'Brien, putting in writing the permission to revive boxing for the summer. According to present plans shows will be held every Monday night during July and August and part of September. In case of rain interfering with a show it will be postponed to the following night.

Uhlemeyer said he was negotiating with several leading bantamweights to oppose Lynch, including Pal Moore, Dick Griffin, Joe Burman and Harry Bramer. Negotiations are on also with Mike O'Dowd, middleweight, to appear here.

Uhlemeyer said the Battery A Armory would seat 5500 persons, the seating capacity being made up of 2500 reserved seats and 3000 bleacher seats. In obtaining permission from the Police Department Uhlemeyer said the organization, which was backed by business men, who chose not to reveal their identity, had pledged itself to obey the regulations laid down by the police governing the holding of bouts, particularly in regard to handling and seating crowds.

According to Uhlemeyer the organization already has raised a fund of \$3000 to guarantee payment of purses to the boxers at the inaugural show.

The boxing shows will be in connection with a membership drive of the artillery unit which uses the Battery A armory. To assist in the drive the boxing club will admit members of the Battery free to all its shows.



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The rats you've in mind, I think you will find. Were years ago chucked in the ditch. But there isn't a doubt, That when lights are put out, You'll find her asleep at the switch.

**Red Sox Release Eibel.**  
SHREVEPORT, La., July 16.—Announcement was made last night by Manager W. Smith of the Shreveport Texas League Baseball team that "Hank" Eibel, pitcher of the Boston American League team had been released to the locals.

## Wengler 1 Up on Clarence Wolff In Memphis Play

Jones and Evans Square at End of First Round of Western Semifinal.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 16.—Bobby Jones of Atlanta was all square with Charles "Chick" Evans of Chicago and Henry Wenzler of Memphis was 1 up on Clarence Wolff of St. Louis at the end of the morning round in the semifinals of the Western Golf Association's amateur tournament here today.

The Jones-Evans match was the gallery play of the day, hundreds of enthusiasts following the first 18 holes. It is generally believed that the winner of this match will be the next Western champion. It was the first meeting of the former national title holder and the 18-year-old Southern champion.

They were all square in the medal competition, each taking a 76 for the round. At the turn Evans was 1 up on Jones, but Bobby evened this on 10. Only two holes on the return journey were halved, the match score changing at almost every green. The hole-by-hole play was as follows:

Out:  
Jones ..... 4 5 3 4 5 4 4 4—37  
Evans ..... 4 3 6 2 5 4 3 4—36  
In:  
Jones ..... 3 5 4 5 4 6 3 4—39—76  
Evans ..... 4 4 5 4 4 7 4 4—40—76  
Yesterday's play was rather top-heavy, but resulted in a number of good scores in the morning round. The cards of the forenoon play

showed Wolff, Ward and Evans with 74 totals, Jones with a 75, Boyd with a 76, and Wenzler with a 77. The best match of the day gave Wolff his 2 and 1 victory over Pollak Boyd of Chattanooga, Tenn.

The St. Louisan led 2 up at the close of the first 18 holes, getting the advantage on the last three holes after the two had played even on the first 15. Boyd engineered a comeback in the afternoon session and was 3 up on No. 8 and 2 up at the turn. The uphill drive seemed to have a demoralizing effect, as he went to pieces on the return trip and Wolff won five of the nine holes.

Bobby Jones simply romped over his opponent, Clarence Hubby Jr. of Dallas, Tex., his 12 and 11 victory being the most decisive one of the tournament. Jimmy Ward of Kansas City, former Missouri champion, held Evans on even terms in the morning, but cracked in the afternoon to the extent of a 5 and 4 defeat. Wenzler's victory over Wilbur was by a 5 and 5 margin.

**Wiggins Defeats Smith.**  
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 16.—Maintaining the aggressive throughout, Chuck Wiggins of Indianapolis, was conceded winner by a clear margin, in the opinion of newspaper critics, in a 10-round, no-decision contest with Gunboat Smith of New York here last night. Smith weighed 189 pounds and Wiggins 172.

## Americans Twice Beat Britains in Davis Cup Clash

Johnston Defeats Parke, Tilden Trims Kingscott in Tennis Eliminations.

WIMBLEDON, England, July 16.—William M. Johnston of California won the first match for the American Davis cup team today in its contest with the British team for the right to challenge Australasia for the trophy. He defeated J. C. Parke in five sets, 6-4, 6-4, 2-6, 3-6, 6-2.

William Tilden of Philadelphia defeated A. R. F. Kingscott of the British team in the second singles match in the Davis cup tennis play here today. The scores were 4-6, 6-1, 6-3, 6-1.

Frankie Zoellera, the former Washington U. star, is playing short for the Little Rock club in the Southern. In the morning game, July 5, Zoellera had six errors.

## EDGAR LEADS GOLFERS WITH 147 MEDAL SCORE

PHILADELPHIA, July 16.—J. Douglas Edgar of Atlanta, Ga., Canadian open champion, led the field of professionals in the 36-hole medal play here yesterday for the right to represent the Southeastern District in the national open golf championship tournament at Chicago, Aug. 15-21. Edgar turned in a card of 147. Three others qualified for the national championship. Harry Hampton, Richmond, Va., was second, with 150; Charles Hoffer, Philadelphia, third, with 151; and Jack Sayers, Philadelphia, fourth, with 152.

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KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 16.—Three men were under arrest tonight in connection with the robbery of

Frank Vassar, a messenger for an Armourdale (Kan.) bank, who was held up today by motor car bandits as he was entering the bank with a match containing \$10,000 in cash.

One of the men, according to the police, is owner of the motor car in which the robbers escaped. The prisoner declares the car was stolen from him earlier in the day. Armourdale is a suburb of Kansas City, Kan.

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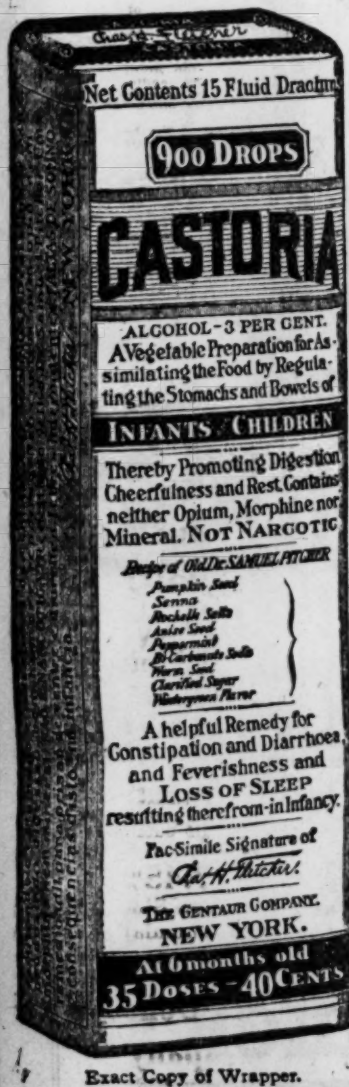
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## LANDAUER CHARGES HE WAS "MUZZLED"

Candidate for Judge Says Chairman at Ward Meeting "Choked Off" His Speech.

I. Landauer of 5967 Minerva avenue, candidate for the Republican nomination for Circuit Judge, asserted today that sympathizers of the Republican machine had endeavored to "muzzle" him at a ward meeting Wednesday night in the hall of the Swedish National Society, 1157 South King's highway. He said that though he knew only one of the men in the audience, a park guard, he was sure that almost all of those present except the candidates were employees of the department of John Schmoll, Director of Public Welfare, candidate for the Republican nomination for Sheriff. "We had spoken previously in a Fifteenth Ward meeting at Anchor Hall, Jefferson and Park avenues," Landauer said, in relating his experience. "Going over to the Swedish Hall meeting, Schmoll spoke first, and then a motion to endorse him for Sheriff was put and carried. Then Kimmel and Killoran, candidates for Judge, were called by the chairman and spoke. Although the chairman had my card as being present to speak, and though there were other candidates present, the chairman then suggested that we adjourn, as the 'boys were hungry.' "I contend that every American citizen who presents himself for office has the same right to be heard as those candidates on the slate, so I rose to protest against being denied a right to speak, and after promising to use only a minute and a half, I was reluctantly allowed to talk for that time. The meeting then adjourned.

"I have practiced law in St. Louis, the city of my birth, for 19 years, and have fought for Republicans without discrimination, but I don't purpose to be choked off or run over. I intend to be heard if I have to get a soap box and make speeches at Broadway and Olive. I never have engaged in factional fights, and I hold no brief against Schmoll, Kimmel or Killoran, but I intend to get an equal hearing with them."

Landauer said that the meeting seemed to be an open one, as all who came up the stairs to the hall were granted admission.

Circuit Judge Karl Kimmel is a candidate for re-election and Associate City Counselor William Killoran is a candidate for one of the three Republican nominations for Circuit Judge. Both are said to have the support of the organization.

**WOMEN VOTE TO RETURN \$50 LOWDEN MONEY TO BABLER**

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Members of the Executive Committee of the Women's Republican Club decided yesterday to return to Republican National Committeeman Babler \$50 which he had donated to the organization, and which, he informed the Senate Investigating Committee at Chicago last week, was Lowden money.

Eight members of the Executive Committee attended the meeting, and telegrams from Miss Grace Semple, president, and Mrs. W. W. Boyd, who are out of the city, were received. All were in favor of returning the money, if, as Babler had said, the contribution was Lowden money. Members of the club had been under the impression, they said, at the time the money was paid to the club, that it was a personal contribution from Babler.

Members of the Executive Committee enacted a resolution two weeks ago censuring Babler for his share in the Lowden money distribution, and circumstances connected with it.

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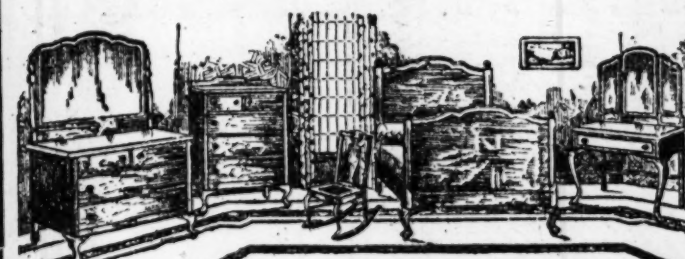
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# PRICES IRREGULAR STOCK MARKET

Steel, Oil and Motor Shares  
Weak Early in Day, but  
Rise Later.

By Leased Wire From the New York  
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, July 16.—The Evening  
Post in its copyrighted financial  
review today, says:  
Movement of prices on today's  
stock market was irregular and con-  
tradictory in the extreme, expressing  
little but the varying fortunes of two  
speculative cliques, working within  
rather narrow limits. During the  
greater part of the day the tendency  
was downward, with market sense  
in steel, oil and motor shares.  
Toward the closing the movement  
was reversed and the earlier losses were recovered. An  
easier trend of money rates, which  
declined from 9 to 8 per cent, served  
as the signal for the change in the  
movement. Railway shares, de-  
spite the announcement that next  
Tuesday would see the handing down  
of the decision of the Labor Board in  
the wage case, thus opening the way  
for the freight-rate decision, were  
inactive and little changed in price.  
Exports of wheat and flour in the  
week ending yesterday, according to  
Bradstreet's, reached the unusual  
total of 10,070,188 bushels, as against  
1,852,119 in the preceding week and  
7,820,655 in the same period a year  
ago. Silver declined sharply, losing 2  
cents per ounce at New York and  
1 1/2 cents at London.

**Exchange Against Europe.**  
With few exceptions, exchange  
rates moved against the European  
market today. Sterling after some  
firmness, declined to \$3.85, as  
against \$2.50 at yesterday's closing.  
Well informed London opinion at-  
tributes the weakness of the sterling  
to commercial causes, including  
the purchase of unusually large  
amounts of American goods, rather  
than to any pending arrangements  
whereby England would take over a  
part of France's share of the Anglo-  
French loan obligation, to be met  
here next October. The continued de-  
cline in continental rates, including  
those of neutral countries, suggests  
rather strikingly the difficult posi-  
tion of some of these markets be-  
cause of their financial relations  
with Germany.

At today's prices on the cotton  
market, an advance had taken place  
ranging from a half cent to more  
than 3/4 cents a pound over the quot-  
ations just preceding the govern-  
ment's report on the crop published  
on July 7. That report estimated  
that the condition of the plant had  
risen from 62.4 per cent at the end  
of May to 70.7 per cent of normal,  
while the probable yield was placed  
at 11,600,000 bales, an advance of  
11,330,000 reported last year in the  
actual returns of the census bureau.  
The rise in prices, in spite of a pro-  
spective supply, is ascribed to a  
month or six weeks ago, throws a  
strong light on the fact that the  
forces controlling the trend of the  
commodity markets.

**Reverse Price Estimate.**  
A somewhat similar situation pre-  
vails in the grain markets, shown by  
yesterday's first prices when trading  
in wheat contracts was resumed.  
Today, however, the wheat trade  
was inclined to revise its estimates,  
and the price of wheat declined from  
2 to 3 cents a bushel. Cost of pro-  
duction, and the prices which buyers  
are willing to pay or are compelled  
to pay, for the various commodities,  
have certainly been large factors  
in keeping prices at these relatively  
high levels. As for the former  
influence it could hardly be a per-  
manent one, as far as existing sup-  
plies are concerned, if the highly  
profitable prices of recent years had  
not enabled the farm producers to  
take a firm stand against a decline.

## ST. LOUIS STOCKS

Local Bank Clearings  
Today \$29,172,401

Bank of Commerce	53 1/2	54
Bank of St. Louis	53 1/2	54
First National Bank	53 1/2	54
St. Louis National Bank	53 1/2	54
Union Trust Co.	53 1/2	54
Wabash	53 1/2	54
Wells Fargo	53 1/2	54
Western Union	53 1/2	54
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**Prices Active on Paris Bourse.**  
PARIS, July 16.—Prices were active on  
the Bourse today. Three per cent rent  
rose 1/2 cent to 3 1/2 per cent. Discount rates  
were 5 per cent. Three months bills,  
4 1/2 per cent.

**Bar Silver.**  
NEW YORK, July 16.—Bar silver: De-  
cember, 89 1/2. This price is a new high  
for the metal. The market is very active.  
LONDON, July 16.—Silver, 82 1/2. Dis-  
count, 5 per cent. Three months bills,  
4 1/2 per cent.

**Metal Markets.**  
NEW YORK, July 16.—Copper: Heavy,  
31 1/2. Spot and third quarter, 31 1/2. From  
abroad, 31 1/2. Tin: Spot, 31 1/2. From  
abroad, 31 1/2. Lead: Spot, 31 1/2. From  
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abroad, 31 1/2. Steel: Spot, 31 1/2. From  
abroad, 31 1/2.

## NEW YORK STOCKS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, July 16.—Total sales on the New York Stock Exchange today were 584,000 shares, compared with 515,000 yesterday. Sales to date for the week are 3,215,000 shares, compared with 3,150,000 for the week ending July 10. The closing prices for the most active stocks are given in the list of today's sales on the Stock Exchange, with the high, low, closing prices and the net change for the day.

STOCKS	Sales	High	Low	Close	Chg.
Am. Beet. Sugar	200	80	79 1/2	79 1/2	-1/2
Am. Can. Co.	200	80	79 1/2	79 1/2	-1/2
Am. W. L. Co.	200	80	79 1/2	79 1/2	-1/2
Am. W. L. Co.	200	80	79 1/2	79 1/2	-1/2
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**Foreign Bonds.**  
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**Chicago Stock Sales.**  
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**Foreign Exchange and Domestic Money.**  
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## NEW YORK BONDS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, July 16.—Total sales of bonds on the New York Stock Exchange today were 10,171,000, against 10,127,000 yesterday. Sales to date for the week are 67,240,000, against 67,240,000 for the week ending July 10. The closing prices for the most active bonds are given in the list of today's sales on the Stock Exchange, with the high, low, closing prices and the net change for the day.

BONDS	Sales	High	Low	Close	Chg.
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
U. S. Gov. Bonds	10,171,000	101.00	100.90	100.90	-10
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**Metals and Equipments.**  
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Signal Improvements Noted in Third Performance of Gilbert-Sullivan Work.

By RICHARD L. STOKES.

EACH work presented this summer at the municipal theater in Forest Park has inevitably shown improvement as the week progressed. But in none has the evolution been so signally for the better, within the brief space of three days, as in the case of "The Gondoliers." If not a gulf, then at least a Venetian canal, lies between the performances of Tuesday night and last night.

It is true that certain mishaps in casting remain, for swapping horses in mid-stream is as impracticable in summer opera as it is in civil war. On the other hand, gratifying alacrity has been shown in remedying mistakes that were open to censure in the initial performance.

Vanished is the dome of St. Mark's Church of Venice, which beamed down upon the scene of an island in the Gulf of Mexico. Abandoned is the lethargy with which the two Kings of Barataria, lolling upon their thrones and twiddling their scepters, received the sudden visit of their friends from Venice across the Atlantic; last night they bounded from the dais and pranced over all one end of the stage, with every manifestation of surprise and delight. Vanished, too, is much of the choppy elocution which Charles E. Gallagher gave to his song, "There Lived a King," and the improvement in intelligibility is 50 per cent.

These are details, but details of happy omen. Far more important is an apparent revolution of attitude on the part of the performers towards the Gilbert and Sullivan masterpiece. After Tuesday night's essay, several of the principals exclaimed in despair: "The Gondoliers hasn't a line of comedy in it!" That they could deliver to an audience unfamiliar with a work of comedy which the performers themselves did not recognize, would have been an absurd hope.

No "Gags" to Help Out.

Certainly there are no puns upon "muskmelon" and "can't elope," nor is any damsel, complaining that a hole in the toe of her shoe lets the water in, counseled to make another hole in the heel to let the water out. The humor of "The Gondoliers" lies in intrinsic comedy of situation and characterization, and demands consummate resources of elocution, pantomime and facial expression. No one will maintain that any characterization in "The Gondoliers" has as yet been evolved that would be comparable to Miss Pavloska's Yum-Yum in "The Mikado," or to William Danforth's portrayal of the title role of the same opera last year. Yet there is much evidence that the players, since Tuesday night, have made a painstaking effort to adjust themselves to Gilbert's satire, and that with commendable success.

As tracers of landscape begin to reveal themselves when a photographic plate is placed in the developer, so glimmerings of Gilbert's comic intentions have grown visible. The proof was the greater amount of merriment evoked from last night's very large audience. Some sense was borne across the footlights of the ludicrous circumstance of the two gondoliers who, confronted by a bewildering array of beauty, engaged to marry any two girls they can catch, while blindfolded; and of the haughty Spanish grandee who, being penniless, incorporates himself as "The Duke of Plaza-Toro, Ltd.," and graces with his presence, for a price, middle-class parties and funerals.

Comedy of the Work.

There was also brought home the exasperating courtesy of a Grand Inquisitor who, mindful of the comfort of a victim in the torture chamber, provides her with illustrated papers with which to amuse herself in the midst of her torments. Finally, the central irony of the work—next to Gilbert's habitual gibes at the institution of aristocracy—is aimed at uncompromising principles of equality, as exemplified in the fabulous kingdom of Barataria. The two gondoliers, sons of a revolutionist, are the sternest of republicans until they find that a throne awaits them; then, like Col. Roosevelt in the case of the trusts, they discover that there are good and bad Kings.

In Barataria they establish equality by the simple process of "promoting everyone to the top of the tree;" even the cook is a Lord High Cook, with the result that the only nonentities in the realm are the monarchs themselves. To drive home the comedy of this topsyturvy kingdom requires fine acting not only by the two

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principals concerned, Warren Proctor and Raymond Crane, but by the male chorus as well. The situation has been built up very notably since the opening night, with the result that a much greater proportion of the fun "gets across."

Thanks to the hearty zeal of the players in parts often uncongenial to their specialized talents, the performance of "The Gondoliers" has become, if not distinguished, certainly pleasurable. Excellent singing is heard in many of the roles; but the chorus, at times, continues to be almost inaudible.

Despite all improvements, however, the glory of the performance remains in the music itself. Director Bendix, who, in addition to other troubles, had to build up an orchestra, now has a body of musicians who for the first time are comparable to the orchestra of last summer. Sullivan's original instrumentation, rich of texture, is employed. A blind person could attend "The Gondoliers" again and again simply for the endless delight of the score.

There are so many beautiful numbers in the work that each night one is tempted to pick out a new

"gem of the opera." One evening it appears to be the duet sung by Bernard Ferguson and Elva Magnus; on another it seems the intricately contrapuntal quartet sung by Miss Pavloska, Miss Crossman, Proctor and Crane; last night it appeared to be the exquisite serenade crooned by Proctor and Crane in the first act; on another night it may well seem to be the delicious etiquette gavotte.

To sum up: "The Gondoliers" is not, for a moment, comparable in production to "The Mikado," nor does any characterization so far equal the

Yum-Yum of Miss Pavloska, the Peoh-Bah of Gallagher or the Nan-ki-Poo of Proctor, in the earlier work. But it has attained to an acceptable and pleasing performance; and as to beauty of music no work of last summer or this can be mentioned in the same breath. Granting obvious handicaps of time and material, it may be doubted whether any two other men could have organized a better production of "The Gondoliers" than Music Director Bendix and Stage Director Sinclair achieved at the third performance of the opera, last night.

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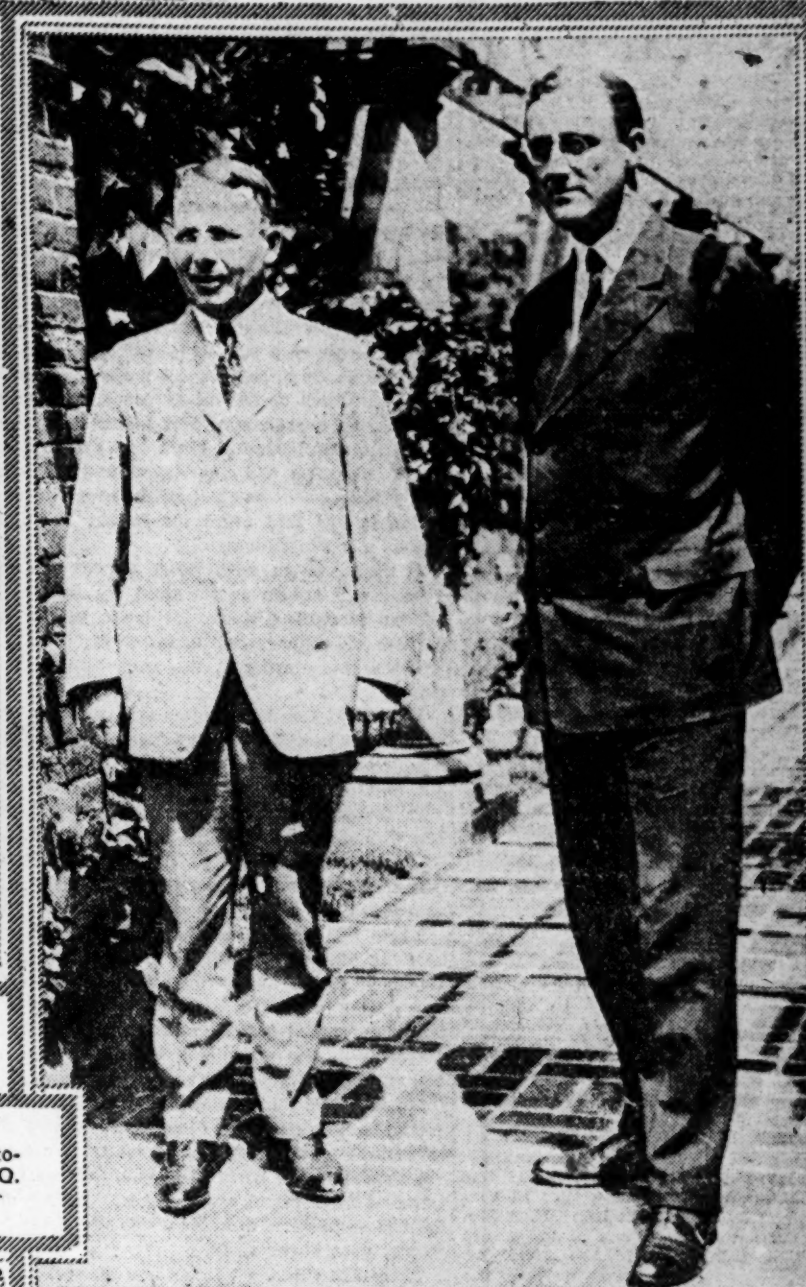




At Poughkeepsie, "homecoming" for Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic nominee for Vice President, he was greeted by the oldest Democrat in the county, Chas. B. Greene, 87 years old.  
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Roosevelt addressing large crowd of fellow-townsmen who welcomed him home. It is his own "front porch."  
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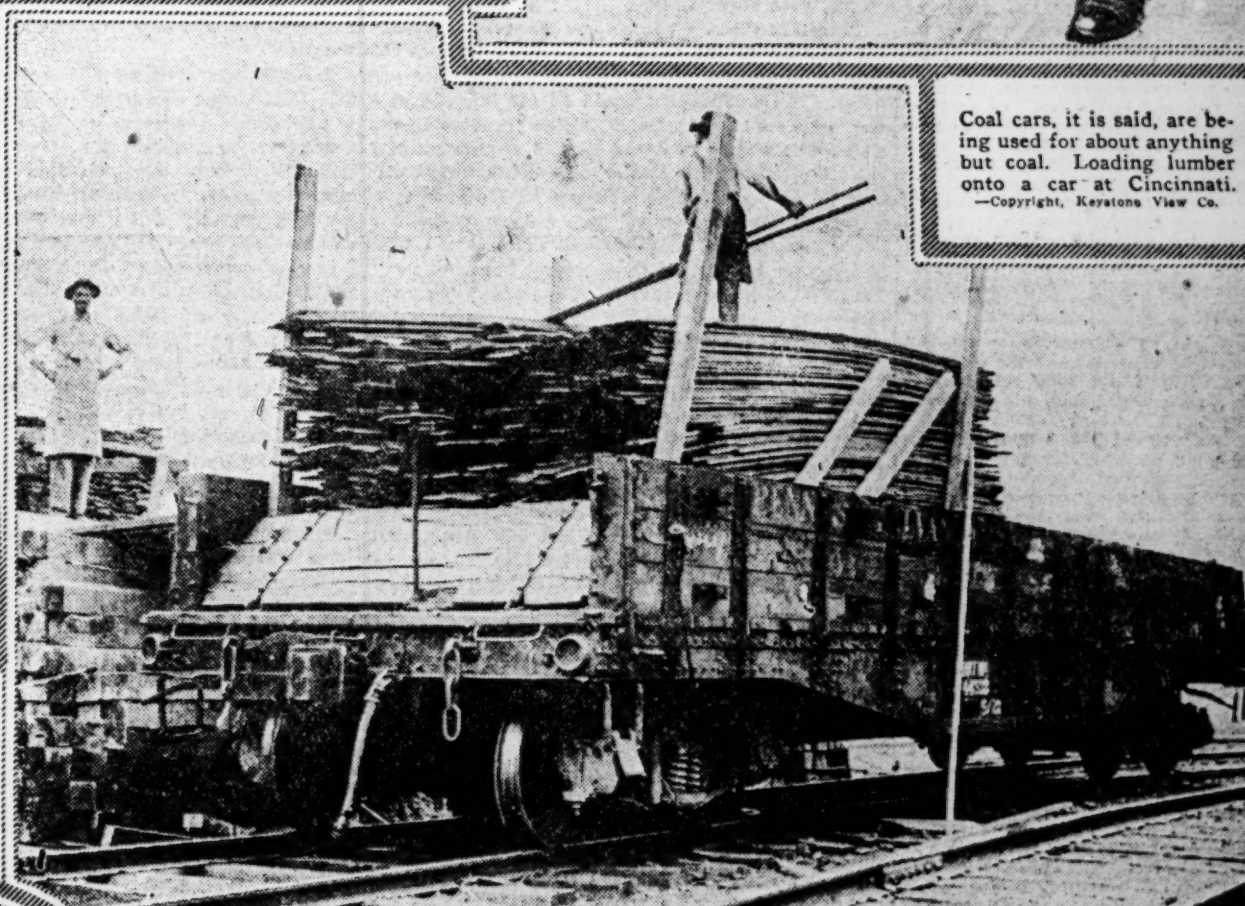
Gov. Cox and Roosevelt photographed together for the first time, at Columbus, O.  
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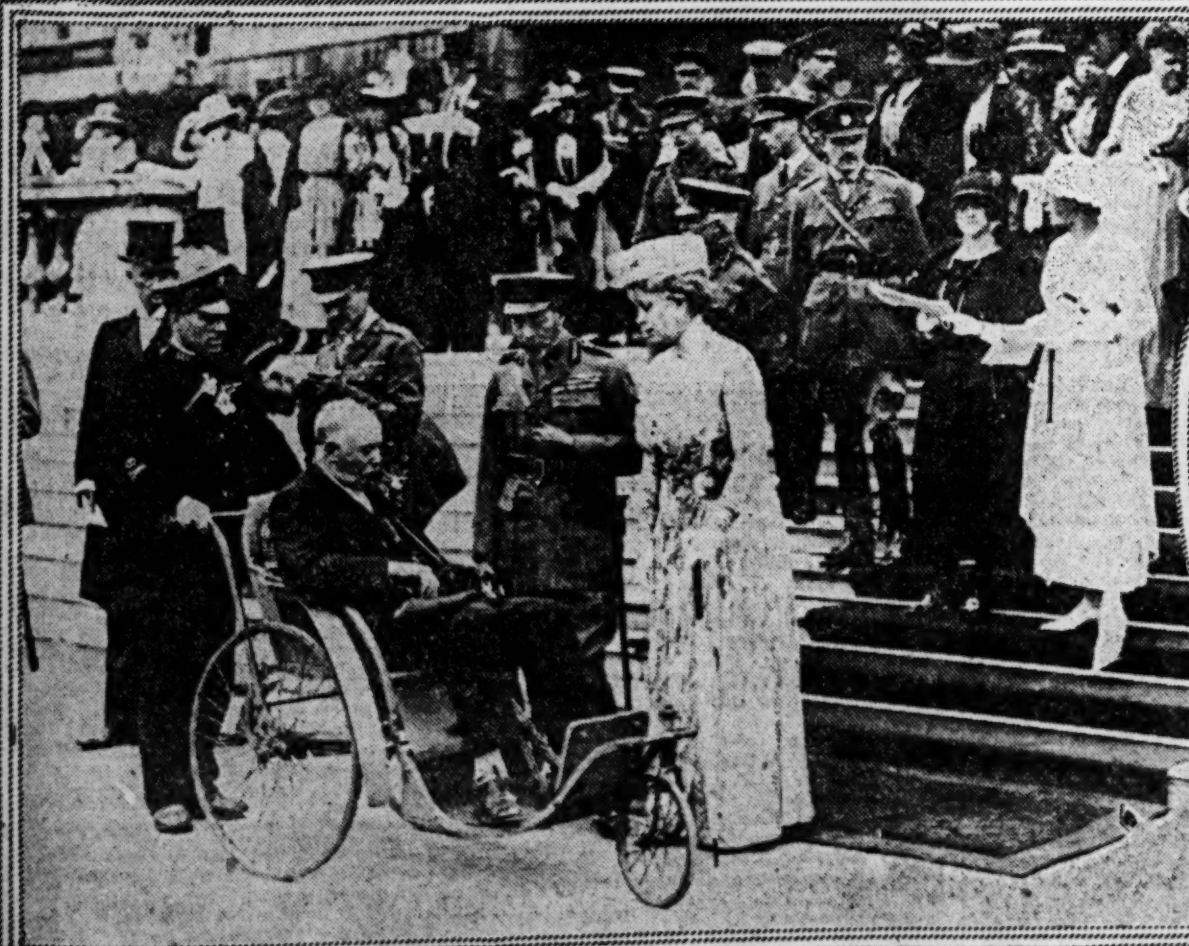
Where Lincoln stood during part of the battle of Washington has been marked by a bronze tablet unveiled at capital by survivors of the Sixth U. S. Army Corps.  
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Brigadier-General C. H. T. Lucas of the British Army, prisoner of Sinn Feiners, who have said he will be held "until the war between Ireland and England is finished."  
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Coal cars, it is said, are being used for about anything but coal. Loading lumber onto a car at Cincinnati.  
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When the King and Queen of England gave a garden party at Buckingham Palace for 300 wearers of the Victoria Cross. Members of the royal family behind the monarchs, on steps.  
—Central News Photo.



Miss Gertrude Olmstead of La Salle, Ill., who won beauty contest of the Elks at Chicago. Of course, the "movies" signed her up at once.  
—Wide World Photo.



Gov. Coolidge, Republican nominee for Vice President as he takes vacation on father's farm at Plymouth, Vt., where he was born. Picture shows the aunt, 80 years old, who cared for him in boyhood.  
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#### LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

To Be a Judge.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In an editorial appearing in the Globe-Democrat of the date of July 2, 1920, relative to the judiciary, the following misleading statement appears:

"Anyone can be a candidate for the office of Judge of the Circuit Court, who is 30 years of age or over, and who has the constitutional requirements as to citizenship and residence. He need not be a lawyer; there is no constitutional provision to prevent, for example, a huckster, who can neither read nor write, from becoming a candidate for the bench, and nothing but the intelligence of the people can prevent his being nominated and elected."

It is true, any person can become a candidate for any office. It is also true that the only constitutional provisions governing the matter are found in Section xxvi of Article vi of the Constitution of the State of Missouri, which provides that, "No person shall be eligible to the office of Judge of the Circuit Court who has not attained the age of 30 years and been a citizen of the United States five years and a qualified voter of the State for three years, and a resident of the circuit in which he may be elected or appointed."

However, the Legislature of Missouri, in addition to the above constitutional requirements, by legislative enactment, has added another requirement, that is, that he shall be learned in the law. R. S. Mo. 1909, Section 3843. Hence if the above statute is valid to hold the office of, exercise the powers of and discharge the duties of a Judge of the Circuit Court, the Judge must not only be possessed of the constitutional requirements, but must also be "learned in the law" (a very indefinite term), however, one judicially defined to mean possession of such qualifications as would entitle one to admission to the bar.

That the Legislature has the power to prescribe the qualifications necessary to hold an office does not admit of doubt.

LEWIS R. THOMASON.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Permit me to register a complaint against the newspapers and the so-called C. of C. of St. Louis, with reference to calling for harvest hands for the State of Kansas.

It appears to me that a much better system could be used for this purpose, which will eliminate the hardships suffered by men going out there only to find the State crowded with men, unable to find work at any price, and save them from being arrested for vagrancy at Wichita.

The C. of C. told many men weird stories about high wages, and encouraged the men to go before June 20, and the harvest never starts before the 28th, especially around Wichita, where they were sending the men, which caused such an influx of men the farmers cut the wages to \$5 per day of 12 hours instead of 70 per hour for every hour you worked.

It is a disgrace to think how many men left fairly good jobs here to go out there and do this honorable work, and unless a new method is devised for recruiting men for harvest service, there is going to be a serious shortage of men there next year, as every man that made the harvest this year was thoroughly disgusted. ONE WHO WAS THERE.

A Statement.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
I went to Joplin as a delegate from the Twenty-eighth Ward and paid my own expenses. When asked by Mrs. Fred Reid to permit my name to go as a delegate to the Twenty-eighth Ward convention of the City Central Committee to go as a delegate, stating that my expenses to Joplin convention would be paid, but if I represented the Hay faction I would have to pay my own.

Miss Mary Temple Scott and I traveled together, but not on the special train. She stated that besides going as a delegate, she expected to accomplish much work for the H. C. of L. Committee, by meeting representatives from women from all over the State, and was traveling on a Government order, which she did not seem to think was improper. She also stated that this committee would do a stellar work at the Kansas City convention. At no time did I ever hear her mention Palmer or that she favored him as a candidate.

I know both Miss Scott and Mrs. Leighty to be most honorable women and not guilty of the misconduct that has been credited to them by the discharged secretary. The fact that they occupied offices with other organizations places another construction on much that transpired concerning phone messages, and others in that office can give the facts. Mrs. Leighty was elected by representatives of State organizations in no way political, and whether members of the board were Democrats or Republicans was never discussed nor considered. I feel that a great injustice has been done to these two women in particular, as well as others connected with this committee, and some attending the Joplin convention, and I consider it my duty to tell the truth as I know it.

MRS. NORMAN M. WINDSOR.  
President of the Child Conservation Conference.

#### AN ADULLAMITE FAILURE.

Some of the Adullamites who gathered in the Chicago cave were so inclined to discontent that they were discontented with the platform of the party they had attempted to organize. The Single Taxers were not satisfied with public ownership of all utilities and national resources and a general advocacy of the taxation of land values, so they bolted and adopted a thoroughgoing single-tax plank. Many of the 48-ers were not prepared to go the full length of public ownership and labor radicalism embodied in the platform and withdrew. The remnant remaining in support of the ticket may be identified as the Labor and Nonpartisan League groups.

The ticket and the platform disappoint all sensible independents. The Farmer-Labor party is identified by its name with the socialistic spirit of class consciousness and class favoritism. Its specific programs, aside from its sweeping public ownership declaration, relate to the farmer and the laborer. Their interests predominate. They are to be favored with special privileges and advantages in legislation. The welfare of the people as a whole received scant attention, unless public ownership of all national resources and public utilities, including railroads, terminals, warehouses, stockyards, slaughter houses, elevators, water power, oil and mineral lands and the shifting of all taxes to incomes and inheritances and land values, are the panacea that will put all the people in an earthly paradise. In that event the farmer and labor programs are superfluous.

If there was an intent to go far towards socialism it does not appear in the mild declaration in favor of "an increasing share, for labor, in the responsibilities and management of industries." Like the Republican League plank, this may be translated into anything.

Of course, the Adullamites are against any League of Nations except their own "league of free peoples," whatever that may mean. It is for the Irish republic, regardless of cost or consequences; the new Russian Government and the immediate withdrawal of the United States from all present dependencies. It is for a soldier bonus in cash which will equalize war-time pay with peace-time earnings, which ill agrees with reduction of expenditures and taxation.

There is a foundation of truth in the indictment of existing wrongs and abuses, marked by the radical tendency to an exaggerated hatred of all that is; and a body of good in the platform. But it is tainted with impractical radicalism and class favoritism. The platform in the main is a half-baked mixture, designed to catch the fancy of several groups of discontented who feel that something is wrong, but without clear ideas, either of the fundamental causes of abuses or remedial principles and policies. We cannot see the appeal to the mass of people, or even to the intelligent farmer and wage earner, who are offered a dose of unreasoned discontent and unreasoned experiments, with sugar coats.

There are existing wrongs and abuses, but a careful analysis of the causes would discover that the fundamental cause is privilege, in one form or another. The Adullamites would go far in a declaration of sound principles of justice in government which will destroy privilege, instead of creating new special privileges for classes other than those who have fattened on existing privileges. We do not want a struggle of classes for privilege and advantage, but the elimination of all privileges. This is the true panacea for all evils in democracy. The new party has forfeited its opportunity. It has added one more to a group of class-promoting parties.

#### SOVIET RUSSIA'S VICTORY.

The suspension of hostilities by Poland and Russia, at the instance of the allies, through Lloyd George's note, may well prove to be a major event of history. In this tender of good offices from the outside both belligerents are treated as equals. In short, Soviet Russia has apparently won a place among the nations. Whether she will retain that place permanently depends upon her capacity to withstand prosperity. Certainly she has shown an amazing genius for surviving adversity.

The popular custom of execrating Soviet Russia is not likely to subside at once, but as a matter of intelligence, it ought to be abandoned, because of its futility if for no other reason. Soviet Russia cannot be overthrown by curses. That much is sure. The Soviet Government has maintained itself not only against the hostile opinion of the world, but against various rebellions from within, some of which were assisted by outside reinforcements, and finally against the Polish invasion. Whatever its blunders and brutalities, and however chimerical its ideals may seem, it has demonstrated a remarkable tenacity, an indomitable will to live, an iron front to its enemies that cannot be denied.

And in accepting the armistice proposed in the Lloyd George note, Soviet Russia is showing discretion and poise. She has a genuine grievance against Poland, which attacked her without cause. The temptation to go on with the war, now that she is in a position to vanquish the Polish armies utterly, must have been strong. Unwise counsel, too, might plausibly murmur that there was no suggestion of an armistice so long as Poland was winning. No mention of peace was made until Soviet Russia had repelled her enemy and the way had been opened to Warsaw and conquest. If there have been such whispers, Soviet Russia has been deaf to them. In any event, the news is that Russia has agreed to all the conditions of an armistice as laid down by the British Premier. Significant among those stipulations is the concession that no restrictions will be

#### EDITORIAL SPARKS.

Bergdoll is enjoying life, liberty and the happiness of pursuit.—Greenville Piedmont.

"How's the junk business these days?" "Poor. No bottles and fewer rags."—Courier-Journal.

Los Angeles grew so fast that it shook the earth when the secret got out.—Worcester Telegram.

She: How did you happen to flunk in your exam? He: Merely a case of absence of mind.—Boston Transcript.

Lead pencils have increased in price. Due, no doubt, to the excessive marking up of prices.—Columbus Record.

Reduced to simple terms, the race this year is between two printers to see who shall preside at the "pi" counter.—Kansas City Star.

We do not believe in exterminating all the bugs. How could a telegraph instrument get along without its ticks?—Nashville Tennessean.

Mexico is looking for peace with the United States, which is easy. What Mexico most needs is peace with herself.—Philadelphia Express.

placed upon the representatives Russia may send to the peace conference.

It is a tremendous moral victory that Russia has won. The bear that has long crawled like a pariah again walks like a man.

#### THE COVENANT REED SEES.

Senator Reed did an earnest job at St. Joseph of enumerating the iniquities of the most monstrous proposal ever submitted to an intelligent people. To wit, the League of Nations, but even his glittering eye missed a few ulterior designs and malevolent consequences that ought to be listed now. For it happens that now is the divinely appointed time.

Right now our hardy descendants of the vikings are risking reputation and life in behalf of the America cup. Thomas Lipton, a pseudo Irishman, who in his complexes is a son of perfidious Albion, has set his heart on that stein. And that is why we are all yachtsmen in the United States and are straining our gaze towards Sandy Hook and rooting for the Resolute. But what had been our fate had we joined the Reed League of Nations and placed in the hands of George V the scepter William Hohenzollern wanted to wield? The question may easily be answered. We should be reduced to vassalage, England would be supreme and instead of yelling for that dauntless American schooner we should today, under orders from Buckingham Castle, have to stand on the lee scuppers, the whole 110,000,000 of us, and shout Britannia Rules the Wave.

And that's not all. It is far from all. As a British province, baseball would be verboten, of course; cricket would be our national game and, in consequence, the annals of 1920 had never been bruised, battered and beatified by the prowess of Mr. Ruth. Moreover, the American dollars, though fallen low enough, heaven knows, would by this time have disappeared from currency and we should be fumbling along with pence, shillings and pounds, had we joined the Reed League.

The census of disasters is still incomplete, but enough has been said surely to justify the courageous opposition of our senatorial irreconcilables to the League. Yet one more question seems imperative. What American would submit to calling an apple a tart, as he would have to do had we joined the League of Nations which Senators like Reed see.

#### LABOR AND THE WHEAT HARVEST.

Instead of a labor shortage in the Kansas wheat fields there is now a surplus. Instead of the \$7 a day which was promised a few weeks ago, wages have dropped to \$3.50. In many instances men have been unable to get work at any wage.

If this were the first time this thing had occurred in Kansas an excuse might be found. But the truth is it is pretty nearly an annual occurrence. Regularly as June comes round the cry for men comes from the Kansas wheat fields, and often men have answered the call, only to find that they had arrived too late.

A repetition of this experience should be prevented. The Department of Agriculture of Kansas may fairly be expected to prevent it. That department has a reputation for extraordinary efficiency. If its reputation is deserved it should find means for ascertaining when the labor supply required by the harvest has been provided, and it should herald that fact as broadly as it sends forth its cry for help.

In this connection it might be observed that the winter predictions of a labor shortage that was going to make harvesting either impossible or prohibitively expensive has nowhere materialized. Oklahoma has had a labor surplus, just as Kansas now reports, and in Oklahoma hundreds of men who had expected to earn big wages in the wheat fields were reduced to street begging. The whole experience should reassure farmers who last fall hesitated about sowing wheat lest they would not be able to get labor to harvest it.

Finally, there is the public interest which is injured when labor is withdrawn from so many industries and instead of finding remunerative work finds idleness. The wastage of such labor is a serious loss which the public welfare cannot afford and should not be made to bear.

#### THE UNBEATABLE DOCKET.

Federal Judge Faris confesses he is unable to keep up with the docket of the United States District Court. Since his appointment last November he has worked early and late, has omitted lunch and held all-day sessions Saturday the same as any other day. Despite all this there are 80 more civil cases on the docket now than there were a year ago.

The reason for this is the Volstead act, the numerous violations of which have taken up a great part of the Court's time. Facing the facts, Judge Faris realizes he must have help, but is as yet undecided whether to ask Congress to pass a law creating another judgeship in this district, or request the Department of Justice to assign another Judge here to assist him.

So, all is not gold that glitters—not even in dry propaganda. Prohibition thins the dockets of police courts, but if it fattens the dockets of the Federal District courts, where is the gain? Such a question will seem a mockery to the litigants, who, crowded out by criminal cases, wait for justice from term to term. The number of prohibition cases is rapidly approaching the figure when the law will not be a law. The local situation, however, cannot be solved by speculation as to the law's delay and the doubtful net profits of prohibition. Judge Faris should be given help.

#### IT'S NOW THE OPEN SEASON FOR ELEPHANT AND DONKEY.



#### THE FIRST BLOW OF THE CAMPAIGN.

#### JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH  
by Clark McAdams

#### NEW SONGS FOR OLD.

BLESSINGS on you, little man, Barefoot boy with face of tan! You have one what Congress wouldn't And our Mr. Palmer couldn't.

Thanks to your tough epidermis, Serving nobly in the crisis, Advertisements quite confirm us In the hope of better prices.

Blessings on you, barefoot boy! Peace be unto you and joy! Peace! There were nothing to it An the rest of us could do it.

How the profiteers would wriggle— Think of it, O youthful martyr! Prices! There were nothing to it You have brought shoes down a quarter.

Blessings on you, little man, Barefoot boy with face of tan! You have one what Congress wouldn't And our Mr. Palmer couldn't.

The third party has not made a ripple. It is unlikely that it will make one during the campaign. This is not because there is not wide-spread dissatisfaction with the failure of the major parties to announce any such progressive platform as the Democrats had in 1912, but because a big country like this cannot do too many things at a time. The present campaign is to be given over to the question of the League of Nations. That is a big question—the biggest the country has faced in our time—and we cannot divide our interest in it with the sort of things the third party talked about at Chicago. The people of this country want peace, and they know how to get it. What we have to determine is whether we are going to insist upon an exception being made of ourselves in entering the league. The Senate wants a League of Nations and the United States. If that is the way we must go in, the rest of the world will take us on those terms. A good many of us do not think that is the way we should go in, because in the end it shall make us ridiculous. It always makes one ridiculous to take an absurd position and then have to retire from it. All the other nations in the league are willing to risk the things of which we are afraid. They have already done so. They realize that the league is for peace, and in peace none of us who desires peace has anything to fear. If the world believed it were a league of war, the exceptions upon which we are insisting would not be a patchen to those upon which other countries would insist. Parliament and a few hulla-balloons have tried to upset us as to that, but before the campaign is over we shall probably regain our equilibrium nicely. The concerns of the third party are mostly important, but nothing else compares in importance now with the opportunity we have of outlawing the old red anarchy war, whose reign has drenched the world with blood for thousands of years. If we can end war, and we can end it—we shall have a world worth setting to rights. If we fail of our opportunity to end war the rest won't amount to a tinker's dam.

It is dollars to doughnuts that before we get done with the housing problem we shall rescue it from those who would exploit it. Other countries have had to do this. If we attempt to build up a neighborhood land goes up at the first sign of improvement and the effort ends with building one or two houses. The British do better than that. They condemn land at the price it commanded before the improvement began and then build up the neighborhood. They get houses built. We don't.

"Are they going away for the summer?" "He isn't. He is staying home to protect his private stock."

It seems that with our prohibition law we have made something of a border country the lawless state of all that territory lying under the Canada line. Canada is wet, and bootlegging across the border has fairly become a terror. Recently a Dartmouth senior was killed by a youth who was in this bootlegging business and resented the indisposition of college chums to take it as seriously as he was taking it under the impetus of selling liquor he had bought for \$3 a quart for as much as \$20. The father of the boy who did the shooting thing, the president of Dartmouth should have known of the bootlegging and stopped it. No doubt the president has known about it and would have liked nothing better than to have been able to stop it. It is not to be stopped. The only way we can make the border dry is to make Canada dry, and so on ad infinitum. No wonder the dries are planning a world-wide drive.

Our more liberal publications seem to have found so much wrong with the world that they are one long wail. Cheer up, boys. It was always like this, but we have not always had our present facilities for finding it out.

It seems as easy to make peace with the Bolsheviks as it is difficult to whip them. The first thing we know the Bolsheviks will be better than we are, which would be the biggest scandal yet.

Now that Gen. Foch has compelled the Germans to deliver coal, maybe our own Gen. Pershing can do the same thing about coal deliveries in this country.

The pinch for room is said to be reassembling families under one roof. Maybe it will revive family life.

If the Democrats will keep a spot light on Senator Harding's back porch they will win.

Wall street, which got its man nominated, offers 2 1/4 to 1 on him.

The elements which met at Chicago were more fusing than fusing.

No. 642785341: From a bill of fare, Sixth street:

No. 2853829073: A menu, Salt Lake:

Roast Prime Sirloin of Beef 1/4 Tomato 45c  
Carrot Soups in Butter  
Beef Hearts Stewed  
Alfabet Soup  
Sour Crout

The Mormons must have been so busy studying their Bible west with them that they forgot the spelling book.

In Pasadena:  
Some West, isn't it?  
No. 632574: A sign from Destrelhan street:  
We handles strikes fresh eggs

Another at the same store:  
We get our own from the country by truck:  
Our own what?

A palm reader told Senator Harding 20 years ago that he would be President. No wonder he has stood still all that time. It was clearly not his move.

Don't be too hopeful of the present tempest in the city hall. That isn't where reforms start.

#### The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

#### THE MODERN ISHMAELITES.

From the New York World.

WHEN Candidate Harding, with a heroic flourish, assumes to thrust the League of Nations upon the Democrats as the paramount issue of the campaign, he is only accepting of necessity a situation created for him by the treaty wreckers of the Senate, of which President Wilson and the national Democratic convention have already taken advantage.

It is one thing to recognize an issue, however, and another to meet it. Mr. Harding is as dubious on this point as his platform and the people have still to learn whether he would kill the treaty outright and make a separate peace with Germany, as proposed by Senators Johnson, Knox and Borah, or simply hamstring it, according to the subtle surgery of Senator Lodge.

While the candidate is uncertain in this respect he is in full accord with all factions of his party in misrepresenting the treaty and those who support it. The issue, as he puts it, is "Democratic readiness to surrender the republic," which is a falsification more stupid, possibly, than anything previously suggested by the fiercest of Republican malcontents. If the covenant adopted at Versailles is a surrender on the part of any nation, except the defeated Powers of Central Europe, then every treaty designed to prevent war is a capitulation.

We have 20 engagements with other countries to submit disputes to arbitration. As these treaties forbid hasty and reckless warfare, which Mr. Harding seems to consider the highest attribute of sovereignty, it must be that they also surrendered the republic. Thirty-four nations have either ratified the treaty as a whole or joined the League of Nations. Germany and Austria will be added to the number in due time. It is conceivable that what so many peoples, great and small, have done of their own free will amounts to a surrender only in the cases of Turkey, Russia, Mexico and the United States—the modern Ishmaelites? It is a falsehood to say that the League of Nations contemplates war. Every line of the covenant makes for peace. It is a falsehood to say that nations subscribing to it sacrifice their independence. On the contrary, they guarantee their independence. It is a falsehood to say that it violates the Constitution of the United States. If it did so in any respect it would be null and void, no matter how solemnly ratified. It is a falsehood to say that it commits us without recourse to interference in foreign disputes, which do not concern us. Our liberty of action in all such matters is complete. It is a falsehood to say that we are outvoted in the league. Counting our dependencies we have as many votes in the Assembly as Great Britain, or in the Council, which is the controlling body, our veto is absolute.

A candidate who misrepresents an issue which he professes to embrace may be serving a party so badly split that the truth is unpalatable to its members, but he is not promoting the interests of his country or of civilization. So far as the United States is concerned, the League of Nations has never had a chance for the lies that have been told about it. The covenant has been distorted, but not read and not understood. Its final rejection on the business theory that it compels a surrender on our part of the ideals and rights of the republic would be a shameful confession of our unfitness for any other association than that which now has been forced upon us, namely, with Turkey, Russia and Mexico.

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# The HEART'S PASSION by BURTON KLINE

SECOND INSTALLMENT.

THE old man dusted a chair for his storm-stained caller and fetched a short stepladder, humming as he mounted it to sort among the fiddles, while Earleigh kept his eye on the miraculous door, hoping to see an apparition of fairer mein. One after the other Savarac handed them down, to Earleigh's rising interest as he peeped at the labels within them. Storioul, Ruggieri, Staner—excellent names, proved the instruments were genuine. It might do to run a risk and buy one, if it would serve to prolong his call. One after the other the chevalier handed them down, presently descending himself with a violin which he lovingly wiped with a silk handkerchief, snatched from his pocket.

"There, monjour, there!" He handed the instrument to Earleigh. "I must ask monjour to use care wis zat violin. One does not every day see a violin such as zat."

In some curiosity Earleigh peered within. "A da Salo, as I live. I might have known from the model." And accepting the bow which Savarac handed him, he drew it across the strings with no badly practiced hand, prolonging the farce for as long as he dared.

"Rather good," he pronounced as he handed it back. "But come, now, is it a genuine da Salo? Or one of your own manufacture?"

The chevalier took the remark as if it were a bullet. With a withering glance up and down the wet and soiled clothing of his visitor he drew himself up stiffly and said, forgetting his accent: "Monsieur may not believe me, but I make far better violins than that."

"Come," Earleigh held out his hand. "Forgive an impertinence. And show me the best you've got. I'm truly interested."

Savarac took the extended hand, with some caution, however. "Perhaps we had better first inquire who you are, monsieur," he said. "Sit down"—he found a chair for himself—"and permit a shrewd guess. Monsieur's hand, it struck me, was hot. His eye is overbright, his cheeks are fevered. His breath comes quickly. I fancy monsieur is hungry."

"Just that!" Earleigh agreed. "Hungry!" Savarac laughed gayly at his own cleverness. "And I fancy the experience is not a new one to monsieur. The question is, more than ever, who are you. Out of work, no doubt, and yet wanting to be somebody. I recognize the symptoms."

"Monsieur, you look right through a person!" Savarac laughed on in rising friendliness. "You were desperate today, and you are taking it out on me. Come! Let us have a guess at your errand. You are an artist—great, but still unknown. You need a better fiddle to dazzle the public. And you played badly lest I take you for a great player and charge you enormously. There is old Savarac," he said. "He will lend me a fiddle. Though I am surprised that you find me. I do not encourage custom—not yet. But let us begin. What is your name?"

"Yes, monsieur, I have still to tell people my name."

"Ah! It is just as I thought! But tell me his name which we shall soon have no need to inquire."

"My name is Earleigh, monsieur—Leighton Earleigh."

"A good name, monsieur." Several times Savarac tested the sound of it. "A musical name. One must have such a name in the arts. And yet"—the old man cocked his head to one side with a smile, to soften what he meant to say. "Is it true that you play? It occurs to me, monsieur, that you fiddled with unmistakable badness. Perhaps you compose. Why have you not obtained work? But why do I ask! You pride yourself on standing out against the grind of a steady routine. That's what's all artists say. You must 'have your time to dream!' And also to starve! Do I not know?"

"Monsieur," said Earleigh gravely, glancing down at the old suit he had donned, "I have sacrificed even the seat of my trousers to art."

"The reason!" Savarac laughed heartily. He had risen and was pacing the floor in his gathering interest. "Ah, you will starve for a while, my young friend. But you will merge to fame, never fear. Courage, monsieur! It is the greatest of all faculties to possess. Take the word of one who knows. But you are not going! Have I touched a too sensitive nerve?"

Earleigh had indeed turned toward the door, but only to hide his amusement. "I must leave, monsieur," he contrived to say soberly. "I have the misfortune, I see, to take you back over the memories of your own youth."

"Ah, my boy! What delicacy! You have feeling—imagination!" The old man thrust Earleigh back into his chair again. "There! Be seated. One can talk to you, I see. You are an artist yourself. You know something of building, creating."

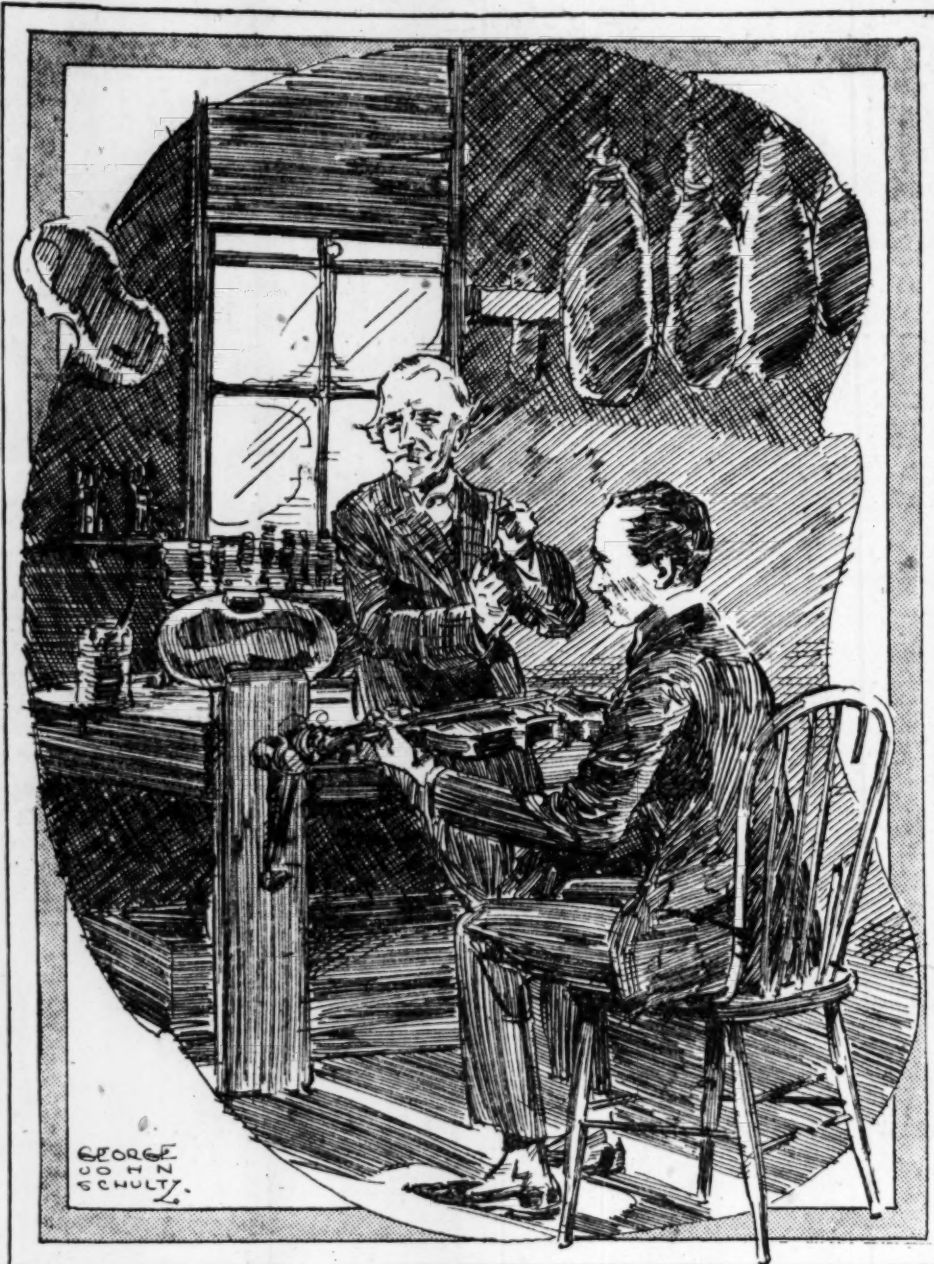
Open mouthed, Earleigh listened to this portrait of himself.

"You have come indeed fortunately, monsieur. At first, I was prepared to be annoyed. It was because I did not know you. Now it is delightful to have you here. You must know, my friend, this day is the very pinnacle of my career."

Earleigh sat more and more astonished. So this was the man of the great expectations! "His career!" He heard you say, the old man was running on. "It is your face. You are ready to laugh. But that is because you know nothing of my art. My art? A-ah, a glorious art! Monsieur, you would pardon my enthusiasm if you understood. Wait! I see you are worthy. On second thought I will treat you to a sensation."

Leaving Earleigh to puzzle over him as he pleased, the old gentleman vanished into his workshop. For a moment there was silence. Then there floated out to Earleigh the sound of a violin, exquisitely played and of a ravishing sweetness.

Marveling now in more respectful fashion, Earleigh sank back and submitted himself to the spell. Not Ysaie himself could have drawn a more poetic bow as the old gentleman, having forgotten himself, played on and on. At last Earleigh a pang to have the music cease, and when Savarac reappeared and stood in the door for an instant, ridicule was gone from his heart.



"Did I hear footsteps on the stairs? I am expecting my daughter, Monsieur."

"Monsieur," said Savarac with dignity, "our acquaintance has been brief. But people of our sort reach an understanding quickly. I have reason to believe that you can appreciate what you have heard. Would you think me mad, monsieur?"

"He paused"—if I told you I aspire to be Stradivarius the second? Do not smile. Wait till you have heard me out. That golden voice came from one of my own instruments—not a da Salo, no Amati, but a de Savarac. And was it good, think you? Ah, monsieur!—the old man kissed his fingers to the ceiling—"you know it was good! But hark!" he broke off abruptly. "Did I hear footsteps on the stairs? I am expecting my daughter, monsieur."

He listened for a moment. So also did Earleigh listen! In no great while she was to be expected!

"I was mistaken," Savarac resumed his pace and his harangue, though it now cost Earleigh an effort to hear him. "Monsieur, Stradivarius is accounted the greatest of makers. But he has had an able assistant. Time! Time! Yet I have done as well. How? Ah, that is the secret of my 40 years of toil. As early as my twentieth year, monsieur, I said to myself, 'Why wait for time?' I said, 'For the perfect violin two elements are necessary—art and age.' Why? Here is the answer. From his pocket the chevalier drew a tuning fork. 'I snap this, and it sings. There is none of that in new wood. It is too full of saps and resins. But age evaporates those and leaves the fibers dry and brittle, monsieur, like a tuning fork—vibrant, singing at the lightest touch of the bow. Give wood that is already old true Stradivarius shaping, and what violins will you not have! So, monsieur, I bought old wood, old maple and deal, from some of the oldest houses in Italy—300 years old. Time had done its part already. Next for Stradivarius."

"Yes," said Earleigh, "I was thinking of Stradivarius."

"I am coming to that," Savarac went on, heedless of the note of skepticism. "It took me years, but in the end I have stolen his secrets. In a Paris repair shop I mended for years the finest instruments in Europe. More than one old jewel I tore open to discover its soul. I dissolved the varnish from three old broken marvels, to learn the forgotten formula. The result is, monsieur. I know the violin as—Pastor knew the human body. I now had the very hand of Stradivarius himself. Ten years till I could copy his varnish! But, monsieur, I have copied it—bettered it! Wait! You shall see."

Again the chevalier scuttled into his workshop, and again Earleigh's face relaxed in a smile of wonderment. One ear cocked as it was on the door listening for mademoiselle, it was impossible for him not to be swept up into the glow of this enthusiasm.

In a twinkling the old man had returned, bearing a violin swathed in silken wrappings, as a mother handles a babe.

"Monsieur," he laid the instrument on a table beside Earleigh. "See!" He turned his handiwork under his eager eyes. "Perfect! Perfect! You little know how perfect it is. This top, it is the seventh I have made for this violin alone. The back is the third. Glance at the modeling—more luscious, more flowing than any Strad. With your own ears you have heard the fruits of my labors. What think you, hein? And this is perhaps the poorest of my 20. Thousands of artists and wealthy amateurs are clamoring for Strads, at any price, that do not exist. They may have mine, at \$20,000 apiece! That is, the wealthy amateurs may. Understand me, monsieur." Savarac straightened up. "I am not sordid. Half of my violins I am saving for artists—budding geniuses, too poor to buy. What joy it will be to

give them! Not the poorer ones, such as this one. One of them shall always be my own—one of them, the best, the only violin in the world! Such a violin has no price, monsieur. It is the 40 years of my toil and struggle. It is my life.

"They are testing it this very day—the symphony players. This day I am to visit their office and receive their happy verdict. Once I have their approval, monsieur, I am made at last. So then"—Savarac was walking about again, excited—"as I told you, this is the great day of my life. This day crowns all. You will believe, perhaps, that I am impatient for my reward?" He whipped out his watch. "Will that Jacqueline never come!" He stamped a foot. "This is bringing me my best coat back from the cleaner's. One must dress the part, monsieur."

In this rare opportunity of a sympathetic listener old Savarac was perhaps pardonably inflated. The younger man perfectly understood, and smiled indulgent appreciation.

"Yes, monsieur," the chevalier was running on, "in a few hours you shall see de Savarac exalted—he whose mannerisms have given you a little inward amusement!" he laughed. "But hark! Will that busy of mine never come?"

"That, precisely," was Earleigh's thought.

"Ah, well," the father was sighing, "what are a few minutes more after years and years of waiting!"

"Forty years!" Earleigh caught him up. "What a hell of waiting!"

"Monsieur, it was frightful!" the old man agreed.

"Think of the days and days of patient carving!" The younger man was now quite stirred by the older's vision. "And now, after 40 years of it, this final test! What a tremendous game you have been playing—against silence! It is magnificent! It is a poem! I wish I could write it. But—have you never had doubts, monsieur?"

"Doubts, my boy? Night upon night of them! How wonderfully you comprehend these things! But, after all"—moved by a sudden impulse, Savarac took up the precious fiddle—"after all," he said quietly, "the answer to every doubt lies here." Tenderly he placed the instrument under his chin. The bow was poised in waiting. The moment was heavy with expectancy. But the waiting stroke was stayed by the new unmistakable music of footsteps on the stairs.

"Ah!" the chevalier breathed in relief. "Jacqueline, at last!" he opened the door, to make sure. "My Jacqueline, and her fiancé," he turned to say proudly. "Monsieur, wait till you have seen my faithful daughter and the rich husband my coming fame has won for her."

Flance! Earleigh winced at the word. So that incredible person was still about! Nevertheless he himself was to see her again! His heart beat out the quick tempo of his expectancy, as Savarac swung wide the door, like an orchestra conductor ushering in the diva. The footsteps pattered nearer. And in a moment, alone—though Earleigh scarcely noted the fact—she entered.

She entered. And in the second or two of suspense before she saw him it seemed to Earleigh that he himself was really seeing her for the first time. The change in her appearance shocked him, but now the whole story of her life of yearning and denial, which he had only guessed before, looked out from her eyes pointedly enough. Illness and tension, in thinning her face, had enlarged them and left them lovelier and more haunting than ever. The dripping dress might have faded, but the wistful, patient smile had not. All that had gone into Savarac's fiddles, and waited and hoped to come out of them. Earleigh saw embodied in that weary girl. A great wave of pity welled up in him—till the father

folded her within his arms and kissed her. That outrage brought Earleigh to life.

"My daughter! At last!" the old fellow cried. "Faithful, even if frightfully late!" Then he snatched the parcel from her hand, and the passion of his life supplanted her. "Quick! Is everything here? But where is Genaro?"

Without waiting for an answer he darted away to his room, and in a moment they heard him whistling and swearing, as the maker of fiddles tried his hand at fashioning a tie.

With a pretty gesture in mimicry of resignation the girl turned at last to Earleigh. "You? Here?" came the familiar, vibrant voice. She was candid enough in extending her hand, but there was a flush on her cheek for the flattery of his search for her. "I wonder that you found this place. And what a day for you to be here! Of course, you've been talking with father. And that means"—she looked away—"you've discovered that he's possessed of a devil."

"I have discovered, mademoiselle," Earleigh said warmly, "that he's possessed of an angel also."

"I fear, monsieur," she shook her head, "this is not the day for pretty nothings, no matter how kindly intended."

"Ah, mademoiselle! Please don't mistake me! I meant what I said. I know what you expect of today. And your father is a wonderful man."

"God grant he is wonderful!" came the reply, so quickly and with such an intensity that it had Earleigh staring. He was still fumbling for something to say, as she went on, more kindly. "You make acquaintances quickly, monsieur. How did you persuade him to show you that?" She pointed to the violin on the table. "And what do you think of it?"

Again before he could answer, Savarac burst from his door and startled them. "Quick, Jacqueline! Fix it!" he was shouting.

"Ah, it's only his tie," she laughed and plied her fingers. "Poor darling."

"There! That's it! Do it well, my dear," Savarac tilted his chin. "But where's Genaro? I wanted him, too, to be here."

"I wonder if you do, father," Jacqueline said quietly, but in such a manner that her father lowered his face and studied her.

"Well, well," he growled, too absorbed to bother with subtleties then. "He may come when he's ready. It's his own affair."

The girl answered nothing. The father fled once more to his room. Evidently the subject embarrassed them both. And Earleigh was left

to an awkward moment. "But what a wonderful day this will be to you both!" he tried to say something.

"Yes, monsieur. What a day this may be to us!" Again the double meaning, so that Earleigh was still at a loss what to say. Meanwhile, Jacqueline had turned to a window and to the pouring sleet outside, and let the act speak for what she was seeing on the other side of the picture.

But Savarac was ready now, dressed for his great occasion, and burst again from his room. "Well, mes enfants, how do I look? My heart runs wild!" Giddy with his prospects, he embraced his daughter. "Be brave, my dear! Success is a potent wine. You must brace yourself for the shock of it. Soon I shall be bringing it back to you. She has been an angel to me, monsieur!" Savarac looked proudly to Earleigh. "Take good care of her while I am gone."

Jacqueline did her best to join in his happy excitement. And truly he was an impressive figure as he kissed her forehead, almost with majesty. Like a venerable old portrait come to life, he stood for a moment in his long cloak, a faraway look in his black eyes. Then he swept them a magnificent bow and was gone.

For a full minute Jacqueline and Earleigh stood under the spell of him, as his footsteps died away down the stairs. "This is truly tremendous!" burst from Earleigh at length. "Shall I—may I take you somewhere, mademoiselle? But do let me stay with you!"

"Thanks, monsieur. But you needn't take me away. It is terrible weather. And he may not be gone more than a few hours. Perhaps Genaro will come after all. As for you, monsieur," she turned away again, "I fear you will be poorly entertained. You have come at such a strange moment."

"Entertained, mademoiselle? I am enraptured! I mean that sincerely. This is simply tremendous! Think what that man has achieved! Against what chances, and after so many years! I want to help you rejoice."

"If only, monsieur, it is to rejoice!" "But mademoiselle!"

"Oh, you think me poor spirited, no doubt. You see only that violin there. But do you see all that it represents? I wonder!" She was pacing the floor now, her fingers laced across her breast.

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title of the passion I see has gone into them, what voices they will have!"

"Yes, monsieur. But they will sing of much else."

"Oh, I suppose!"

Halting before him, Jacqueline burst out: "They must sing, monsieur! If they do, they will sing of my mother! Yes, and of me! Ah, that man, that man! He has put us all, he has put everything into those fiddles—everything I have been able to earn, all he could borrow. My mother is buried in one of them. She adored him. She believed in him. Two adorable years they had together. Then came the devouring idea of those fiddles! It is a splendid dream, monsieur. But when I think how much depends upon it!"—She had resumed her pacing.

"But if he is successful? And why not? Then!"

"The idea has occurred to others." She shook her head. "And they failed. Or they turned out one clever, superficial imitation. My father makes fine violins, they say. Experts have praised them before this. But real rivals of Stradivarius? Not yet, they have said. And he has begun all over again. I see, monsieur, why he has taken to you. In convincing you he is convincing himself again. My mother saw it all. Hers was a beautiful faith. She soon enough discovered she had married a lovable fanatic. She died for him. She worshipped him and he neglected her. He chiseled away at his wood when he was really chiseled away at her heart. One love he had—his fiddles. Yet she never complained of her rival. She gave him all her money—and once she was rich. She gave him her love, her life—while he courted the other love. If those fiddles can sing of that!"

Earleigh tried to find words for his thoughts. "All that must speak out, mademoiselle! It must! God, what a prospect!"

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Investigate until you know  
Exactly why a thing is so.

—Old Man Coyote.

OLD MAN COYOTE doesn't like mystery. He is one of those who believes that there is nothing which cannot be explained, so when a thing puzzles him he cannot be satisfied or content until he has found out all about it. And what he learns he never forgets. This is why he is one of the smartest of all the people of the Green Forest and the Green Meadows.

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**COMPARISONS.**  
I've been to dinners, many a night,  
Where, to my praiseworthy thinking,  
The diners to my left and right  
Did altogether too much drinking.  
I laughed and listened quite a lot,  
My mirth with theirs was often mingled,  
And yet I thought that I did not  
Get jingled.

The anecdotes the speakers told  
I heard with honest admiration;  
Their jokes, though generally old,  
Received my hearty approbation.  
My risibilities, I knew,  
Were stirred to function somewhat quicker,  
But never did I lay this to  
The liquor.

But now, when I go out to dine,  
Although there still is cheerful chatter,  
Without the artful aid of wine,  
The speeches seem but pointless patter.  
And when the humorists divest  
Themselves of funny thoughts that fill them  
A seething longing stirs my breast  
To kill them.

So I conclude that I was wrong—  
The spell by which I was enchanted  
Had strength to charm me but as long  
As potent liquors were decanted.  
The speakers now don't make a hit,  
Who once so witty and so gay were,  
And therefore either I was lit  
Or they were!



**HOPE SPRINGS ETERNAL.**  
Coolidge Defers Vacation. News-  
paper headline. He won't need one  
if he is elected Vice President.  
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**ROCKING THE BOAT.**  
Carpenter now says he is ready to  
sign for a boat with Dempsey.  
Georges is getting really reckless.  
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**Not So Silly.**  
"Yes," exclaimed the bumptious  
grocer to a shop full of admiring cus-  
tomers, "yes, I can safely say I've  
never been done down. If I get any  
body on the make, I'm as sharp as  
they are."  
"Now then, my lad," roaring at a  
small boy patiently awaiting his  
turn, "now then, what's for you?  
What? Wake up lad; you'll never  
make a business man."  
"Sixpennyworth of treacle, did you  
say?"  
Boy (timidly): Yes.  
Grocer: Here you are. Where's  
the sixpence?  
Boy (very red): In the bottom of  
the jar.  
Grocer: !!!—London Telegraph.

**Triumphs of the Sexes.**  
Every time a girl masters a new  
method of combining her hair she acts  
just like a man does right after he  
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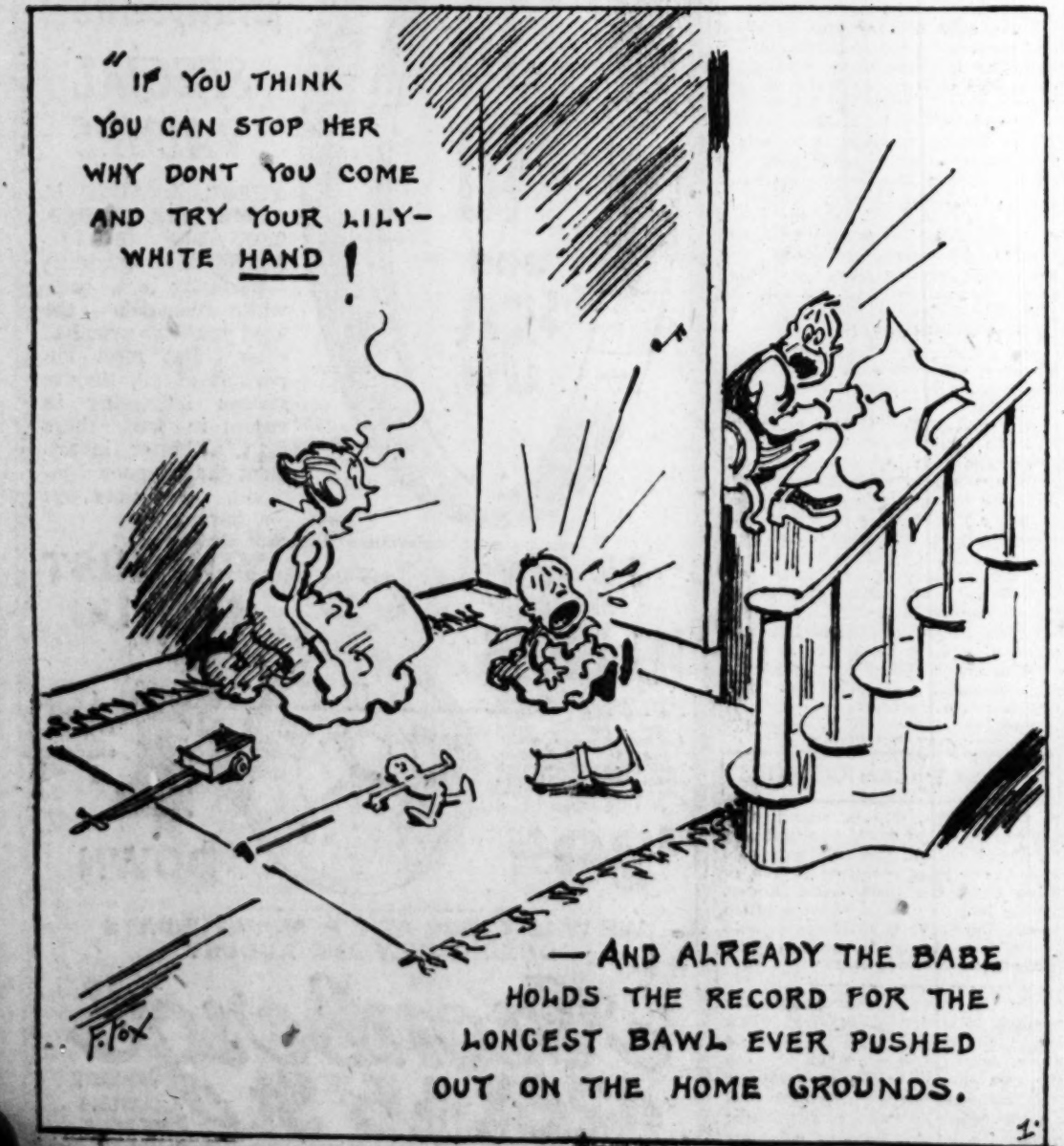
**Unkind.**  
Hewitt: I shave myself.  
Jewett: I don't blame you for not  
spending any money on a face like  
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**Two "Stein"-Way Grands.**  
By a Philistine.  
Einstein and Epstein were wonderful  
men.  
Bringing new miracles into our ken.  
Einstein upset the Newtonian rule;  
Epstein demolished the Pheidias  
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Einstein gave fits to the Royal So-  
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Epstein delighted in loud notoriety.  
Einstein made parallels meet in in-  
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Epstein remodeled the form of Divin-  
ity.  
Nature exhausted, I hopefully sing,  
Can't have more Steins of this sort in  
her sling. —Punch.

**True Optimism.**  
The true optimist is the man who  
believes everything he reads in a rail-  
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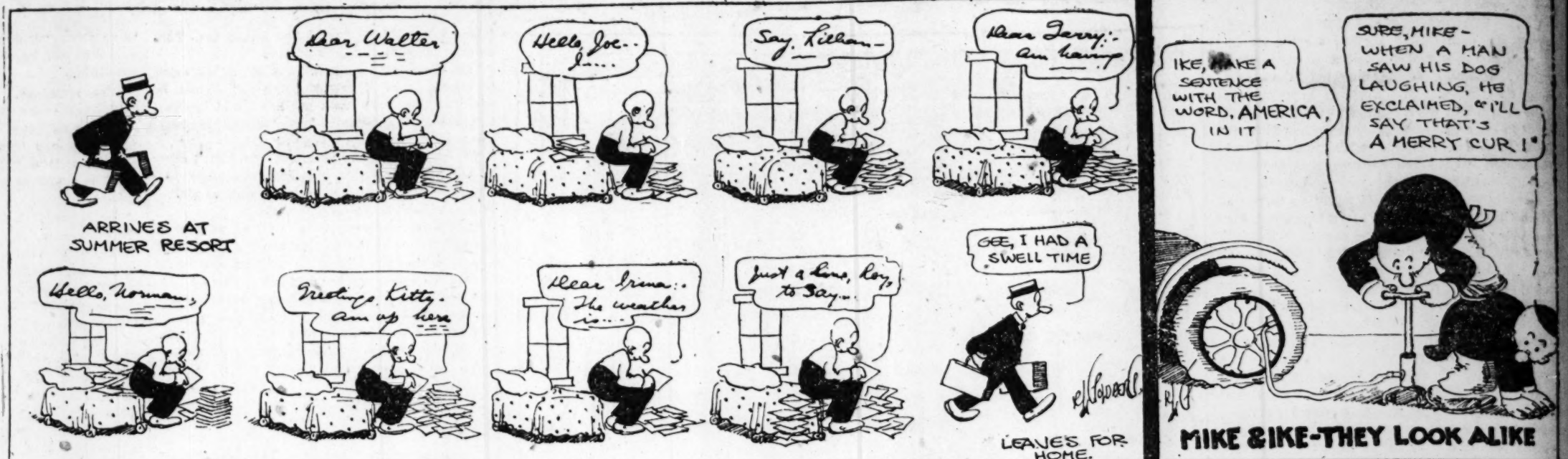
**Weary.**  
"I don't complain about high prices  
any more."  
"Why not?"  
"I've just got tired of hearing the  
perfectly good excuse any tradesman  
can offer for soaking the life out of  
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**The Baseball Fan Names His Little Daughter, Ruth, After the Famous  
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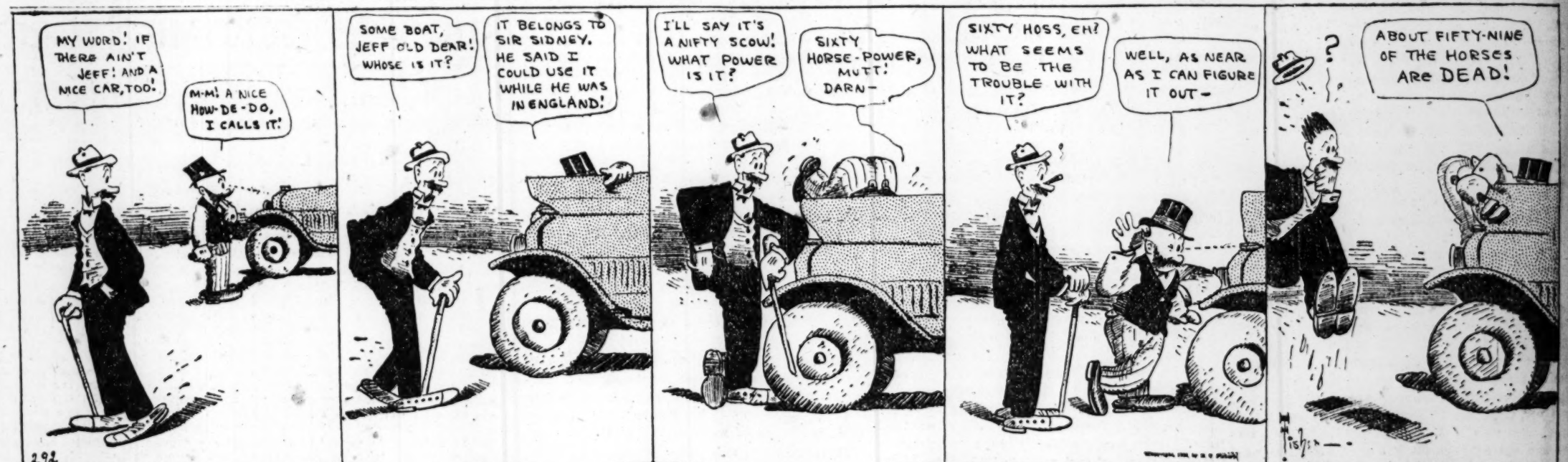
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